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ASKS AID OF JAPAN.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—China has asked Japan, says a dispatch from Shanghai to the Daily Express, to lend one general and fifty officers to drill the Chinese troops, and also to lend experts to reorganize the Chinese financial and other departments.

WOOD LEAVES FOR NEW YORK.

HAVANA, Nov. 25.—Gen. and Mrs. Wood left here today for New York on the steamer Monterey. Gen. Wood expects to meet the Cuban reciprocity commissioners in Washington and to discuss the question of reciprocity with President Roosevelt.

COLOMBIA.

AMERICAN MARINES ON THE ISTHMUS.

Armed Guard Protecting Transit. No Bombardment of Colon Likely. Government Defeats Rebels.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

COLON, Nov. 25.—[By Central American Cable.] An armed guard of marines from the United States battleship Iowa has reëstablished the transit across the isthmus, and details from the Iowa's marines are now protecting each passenger train.

There has been fierce fighting at Empire Station on the railroad line between Panama and Colon between the insurgents and the troops of the Colombian government, with very heavy losses on both sides.

NO BOMBARDMENT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—It is pretty well understood here that there is to be no bombardment of Colon by either side. While Commander McCrea was given wide discretionary power and nothing was said to him about stopping the bombardment directly, nevertheless the State Department established a precedent in these matters last year when it instructed Mr. Gudger to warn some insurgents at Panama that they would not be allowed to bombard that port.

If the government troops on the gunboat Gen. Pinzon should persist in their purpose, it is said the commanders of the various warships at Colon would require that ample time be allowed for the withdrawal from the town of all foreigners, and that the attacking force, to escape restraint, would be obliged to direct their bombardment with such rare precision as to destroy the insurgent defense without harming the railroad property, and even without endangering the passage of trains, conditions probably not to be met.

The Secretary of the Navy today cabled Capt. Perry of the Iowa to assume full command of all the United States naval forces on both sides of the isthmus, in order to insure harmonious operations. Consul-General Gudger's last dispatch, which came after 4 o'clock, was about as follows: "Our troops have arrived at Matachin, one-half of the way across the isthmus. No obstruction, and Colombian government seems to be victorious over insurgents."

ATTACK ON CULEBRA.

CONFERENCE ON WARSHIP.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

COLON, Nov. 25, 9 a.m.—[By Central American cable.] No evening train left Panama yesterday. The government troops are attacking the Liberals at Culebra. The result so far is not known.

The government gunboat Gen. Pinson left her anchorage, close to the other warships, last night, and is now reported to be landing troops on the north end of Colon. People are seeking refuge on board the United States gunboats Marietta and Machias, along the railroad and on the piers.

The commotion, as this dispatch is sent is ended, and calm now reigns. There is no jubilation, which is evidence that the Liberals' army is not advancing toward Panama. It is said to have been defeated at Matachin by Gen. Alban's command. The latter is said to be pushing on Colon.

At a conference held at 1 o'clock this morning on board the British cruiser Tribune, at which Gen. Ignacio Felacio, Señor De la Bosa, secretary of Gen. Diaz, and commanders of the foreign warships were present, Gen. Felacio agreed, at the request of the naval commanders and on the ground of humanity, having in view the large foreign population of Colon, not to land troops here or open fire on the town before 6 o'clock Friday evening.

The Colombian gunboat Gen. Pinzon is badly off for provisions, and the commanders of all the warships agreed to supply her with the necessary stores. The gunboat has not returned to Colon, and her whereabouts are unknown.

NEWS OF LIBERAL DEFEAT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The State Department has received confirmation of the reported defeat of the Liberal troops by the Colombian government troops. This came in a cablegram from Consul-General Gudger at Panama, this afternoon, in which he says the railroad is now unobstructed, and that the government forces have been victorious over the revolutionists. He further reports that the bluejackets from the Machias have gone inland, and now occupy a point midway of the isthmus.

NAVAL OFFICERS REPORT.

M'CREA ASKS INSTRUCTIONS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The United States government has taken charge of isthmian transit. A dispatch received at the Navy Department today from Capt. Perry of the battleship Iowa, at Panama, reports that fact. Capt. Perry says that Gen. Alban, with 600 men, is fighting the Liberals on the line near Empire. Transit is in danger of interruption. Capt. Perry has landed with a detachment of men from the Iowa, and has started with a train to clear transit, and also establish detachments of men to keep it so.

Commander McCrea of the Machias, at Colon, has cabled to the Navy Department notifying the department of the approaching bombardment of the town and asking for instructions. He has been instructed to take such steps as he deems necessary for the protection of American interests at Colon. While no specific statement is made as to the details of this instruction, it is understood that it leaves discretionary with Commander McCrea the prevention of the bombardment.

Mr. Herran, chargé d'affaires of the Colombian legation, today received the following cablegram:

PANAMA, Nov. 25.—To Colombian Minister, Washington: Rebel army completely defeated at Culebra and Emperador. Governor marched last night upon Colon. Traffic interrupted yesterday, but will be reëstablished today.

[Signed] ARJONA, Acting Governor.

Herran earlier in the day received a dispatch from the acting Governor of Panama, stating that the Governor-General had started with a considerable government force to operate against Colon and Linea. It is the expectation of the Colombian authorities to combine this movement with that of the force on board the gunboat Pinzon, and thus be able to recapture the town of Colon. The Colombian authorities here have not been advised of the purpose to bombard Colon.

The action taken by the United States in landing marines and protecting the line across the isthmus is in conformity with the wishes of the Colombian government, and follows a specific request recently made by Herran. The Colombian authorities are fully aware that if they retake Colon it must be through their own efforts and without the hope of any assistance from the American forces on the ground, as this government is scrupulously holding aloof from the political contest between the government and the Liberals.

NO CONCERTED ACTION.

DISCLAIMER OF GERMANY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERLIN, Nov. 25.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Foreign Office today sent for the representative here of the Associated Press, and declared the announcement to the effect that the countries party to the triple alliance were making a concentrated demonstration in South American waters to be false.

The informant of the correspondent said there had been discussion between Germany, Austria and Italy regarding common action in this direction. He admitted that each country was sending warships to South American waters, but said they were acting entirely independently of each other, and were merely protecting the property rights and lives of their subjects.

It was further explained that Washington was fully informed concerning the intentions of Germany in this regard. The movements of German vessels in South American waters have been fully reported, as well as the vessels destined to go out there. No other ships have been sent to South America. German officials in Berlin are of the opinion that the presence in the Caribbean of warships of the powers composing the triple alliance will have the desired effect without making necessary a recourse to action.

GEN. ALBAN'S EXPEDITION.

GOT A MOURNFUL WELCOME.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

COLON, Nov. 25.—[By Central American Cable.] Yesterday morning at 10 o'clock the schooner Clapet and a railroad barge returned to Panama, bringing 350 men from Chorrera, being the remainder of Gen. Alban's expedition. Great crowds gathered at the wharf to witness the landing of the soldiers. They were received with bands of music, but the music sounded mournful, and the airs sounded more like a funeral march than the joyful strains of welcome to a victorious army. Gen. Alban looked his usual and calm self, and acted more like a man on whose hands time hangs heavily for want of something to do, than on coping with grave responsibilities under trying circumstances.

At 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, at the head of several hundred men, Gen. Alban left Panama by train for Empire station, where the Liberals were reported to be in fairly strong numbers. His purpose was to surprise and rout them. The train bearing these troops was held up just before it arrived at Culebra station, owing to the Liberals opening fire on Alban's advance guard. Alban disembarked his men from the train, which returned to Panama. The fighting at Culebra lasted from 4:40 until 9 o'clock p.m.

Revs. Loveridge and Jacobs, Baptist and Wesleyan ministers, respectively, narrowly escaped being shot. Their house in Culebra was riddled with bullets.

THE FIGHTING.

The government troops advanced, and the fighting was stubborn all along the railroad line until Empire station, a mile and a half distant, was reached. The Liberals retreated slowly, Alban's men following them until the latter eventually reached Matachin station. Here Gen. Alban met and conferred with Capt. Perry of the Iowa, who was returning from Colon on an armored train. It is understood that Capt. Perry will not allow the railroad to transport troops, consequently Gen. Alban and his men were forced to push ahead on foot. It is said here that they thus reached San Pablo, where the Liberals are in force, and that fighting is taking place there. The Liberals are under command of Gen. Lubo.

Between the stations of Culebra and Empire, over one hundred and fifty killed and wounded men could be seen along the track. The sight was gruesome. There is no proper Red Cross Society, and the wounded lack care.

The Liberals at Colon declare the majority of the men killed on the line to be Conservative troops, and that the rebels are still in force along the railroad.

Three hundred of the Iowa's marines were landed at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at Panama to protect the property of the railroad, and to insure the continuance of transit across the isthmus.

In government circles there is still entire confidence in Gen. Alban, and it is believed there that this Conservative general is capable to cope with the present situation. It is estimated that the Conservative government has 400 men at Panama.

The breastworks on the railroad bridge that leads into Panama, as well as those erected inside the city, have been demolished by the government.

News Under to The Times This Morning

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2. Secretary Wilson's Annual Report.
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5. Jeffries to Make a Tour. Burt Sees the President.
6. Weather Report. Liners: Classified Advertising.
7. Local Sportsmen's Doings.
8. Editorial Page: Paragraphs.
9. Mme. Calvé a Victim of Cancer.
10. The Public Service: Official Doings.
11. Tons of Turkeys for Thanksgiving.
12. John Foster Suspected of Murder.
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14. Notes from Neighboring Counties.
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THE CITY. Unlucky John Foster suspected of connection with awful Downey crime....Calvé making grim fight for life....Eighty tons of turkeys on hand for Thanksgiving. Gov. Gage in oil business at Acton. Olympics beat Oaks in hottest ninepin game of the season....Senator Bulla says anti-Gage strength surprised San Francisco Republicans....Funny failure of bootblacks' campaign to bull price of shines....Traction Company did not attempt to steal march on Southern Pacific....Angeleño Heights Association decides on Temple-street grade....Mrs. Mary Fitzpatrick's leg broken in trolley accident....Dr. Ely defends competitive system....Anniversary of praying band....Sacred Heart fair opens....Mrs. Bertha Frawein dragged by street car....Suburban Gas Company frozen out by City Council....Sweeping license ordinance passed by Council....Huntington-Hellman syndicate applies for franchises gridironing the city....Fruit and Vegetable Inspector to be appointed....Ten employés dropped from the parks....Embezzled funds discovered in local bank by representative of Russian firm....John Heinrichs, pickpocket, on trial....Spiritualistic mediums trying to escape taxation by pretending to be preachers....Lottery case against Greenwald dismissed.

RAILROADS. Oil to replace coal on big ferryboat....Heavy traffic on Southern Pacific....Northern Pacific circular....Pittsburgh switchmen strike.

HAWAII. Osaki case taken to Supreme Court....Court-martial of Tilley.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Great preparations for Thanksgiving football in Pasadena....Amateur histrionics in Colegrove....Cleaning-up day at Claremont....Avalon women studying California history....Flag for Fullerton grammar schools....Bitter liquor trial begun in Santa Ana....Encouraging school athletics in Redlands. Kern county man fatally hurt by pumping plant....Judge murdered in Lower California....Mexican government offers singular compromise to wronged Americans.

COAST. Alleged Lookout lynchers on trial....Mrs. Craven denied a new trial....County tax on sheep valid. Merchants favor Chinese exclusion. Tramps guilty of heinous crime. Former Policeman Wilson on trial. Oregon primary law valid....Purse snatcher bound over....Freight train wrecked....Money subscribed for big show at Portland....Seattle police case decided....Three men injured....Dolan charged with murder....Franconia wreck inquest.

WASHINGTON. Large conscience contribution....Suicide of Alexander D. Anderson....Supreme Court takes a recess....Justice Street's case....Naval officers' report....Bonine murder trial. Kansas law knocked out....Administration to study trusts....President's message will be lengthy....Protests against Warner ranch project....Biggest treasury surplus....Senator Wellington must caucus alone....Destitution among coolies reported by Consul-General....Made Senator Hawley angry.

GENERAL EASTERN. Trail of ruin left by storm....Carrie Nation divorce suit....Mrs. Dale's alleged paramour released....Kentucky miners establish another camp....Ferguson murder trial....Nice point on sausage. Injunction against copper combination. Irish patriot dying....Poured oil on fire with fatal result....Meade court-martial....Long-lost mine discovered.

FOREIGN, BY CABLE. Bresci's accomplice sentenced....Quarrel with her consort caused Queen Wilhelmina's sickness....Liverpool bank frauds. American troops on isthmus....Miss Wackerman violently insane....Attack on Culebra....News of Liberal defeat. Eeseroum earthquake victims....Some quaint coronation rites.

SPORTS. De Saulles recovering from injuries....Street regulation of A.A.U. Crack foreign team entered for big bike race....Favorites lost at Oakland. Bennings summary.

THE PHILIPPINES. Lieut. Van Schaick's brave feat....Insurgent Leader Samson about to surrender

WASHINGTON.

WON'T GO IT BLIND.

Administration to Study Trusts.

Copper, Sugar and the Railroad Pools.

Cuban Delegation Calls Upon the Chief Executive.

President's Message Contains About Thirty Thousand Words.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] There is fair authority for saying that the President and his attorney, Mr. Knox, are giving a good deal more attention to the trusts than the trusts like to get from that source. There has been lately a scurrying on the part of certain New York financiers toward Washington, all bent on finding out what is going on with regard to some of the most flagrant blind-pool operations in properties and stocks, and the result of their investigations may not be satisfactory to them.

Today, therefore, Washington was not surprised to find out that there is likely to be an investigation, either by Congress or by the Department of Justice, but at any rate backed by the administration, into the doings of the Amalgamated Copper Company, known as the copper trust, that juggles with the price of copper metals as well as with the price of stocks; into the doings of the American Sugar Refining Company, which lately made many administration enemies by open fighting against the beet-sugar business, and into the affairs of the Northern Securities Company, which has just been organized to control all railroads in the northwestern part of the United States. These three companies are considered here to be the worst types of trusts known in the United States or any other country, because they do not make public statements of any kind about their earnings, expenses or anything else.

The cry against the Northern Securities Company raised in all the States just invaded by that concern has called attention to that sort of a corporation. The sugar trust and the copper trust are just like it, and both have recently come into great prominence. Mr. Knox would not say today what he intended to do, if anything, but it became known that the President himself has investigated the matter with a view to putting something into his message, and whatever action may be taken will date from the time the President's message is made public, next Monday.

It can be announced upon authority that Representative Babcock of Wisconsin, who last year introduced his famous tariff-revision bill as a cure for trusts, will not press that bill during the coming session of Congress. He will reintroduce it, and then leave it to the majority member of the House Ways and Means Committee, to say what shall be done with it. It is already known that a majority of the Ways and Means Committee bitterly opposes Babcock's ideas, so the fate of his bill can be predicted with accuracy.

CUBANS AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

SUGAR TRUST IN THE REAR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The President today received a delegation of Cubans, who came all the way here from Havana to ask him if he would use his influence to have Cuban sugar, tobacco and some other articles admitted to this country free. This request from the Cuban business men, coming so soon after President Havemeyer of the Sugar Trust had announced that he favored free Cuban sugar; so soon after the announcement in New York that the sugar trust had got control of most of the sugar plantations in Cuba, and so soon after the trust had started an attempt, by price-cutting in the West, to break the beet-sugar business created a very general suspicion here that the visit was engineered by the sugar trust.

Of course, it is not known whether the President thinks that way or not, but it is worth recording that the Cubans were today unable to get one syllable of encouragement from him. He merely listened to what they had to say; thanked them for saying it, and told them he would give the matter earnest consideration. The Cubans did not mention Cuban annexation to him, although that, without doubt, was one reason why they came here.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—A delegation of Cubans called upon the President today and presented a petition adopted by the industrial organizations of the island, urging upon his attention the necessity of reduction in the American tariff upon Cuban products, particularly upon sugar and tobacco. The Secretary of War and other officials were also called upon.

The delegation consisted of Francisco Gamba, president of the General Society of Merchants and Business men of Cuba; Miguel Mendoza, Simon Dumois, Louis Franke, Gusta Bocka, Juan Pedro and Alfonso Pezent. The delegation was accompanied by State Senator Frank D. Pavey and L. V. de Abad, a member of the former Cuban delegation on economic affairs, which visited Washington last winter.

The petition says that the economical situation in which the island of Cuba is placed is such that the remedies suggested admit of no delay, and concludes as follows: "We therefore respectfully entreat you, either by virtue of the constitutional authority vested in you, or by requesting Congress in your first message to grant you the necessary authority to immediately establish ample commercial privileges between the United States—the almost exclusive market for our products—and Cuba, based on the foregoing petition, as a measure of urgent necessity, and indispensable for the salvation of the island."

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

LONGEST YET SENT OUT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The completion of his message to Congress at so early a date indicates that the President has no idea of abandoning his characteristic trait, punctuality. In the completion of this important work, he is ahead of most of his predecessors in the way of time. The typewritten manuscript is now in the hands of compositors at the Government Printing Office. Although generally spoken of as a completed message, it is by no means certain to go to Congress exactly in its present form. The President has to confer with Cabinet members and others on a number of important subjects which are discussed more or less at length in the document. Therefore, the message may be altered materially at the last moment.

The document is the longest sent from the White House to the national Legislature. Those who have heard it read say that it is a model of diction and clearness. The President goes deeply into a thorough discussion of some questions, evidently with the intention of making his ideas and the reasons for those ideas clear to the legislators who will listed to the message on the first Monday in December. The number of words is close to 20,000. President McKinley's last message contained about 22,500 words.

WARNER RANCH PROJECT.

PROTESTS SENT TO NEEDHAM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Representative Needham is receiving many letters from San Diego and vicinity upon both sides of the Warner's ranch Indian matter. One project for saving this land to the Indians is for Congress to make an appropriation, buy the land and give it to them.

Several Southern Californians have written to Mr. Needham, protesting against this plan, on the ground that the land they now occupy will be developed to better purposes, and the Indians so given less valuable land elsewhere, because, as the protestants say, the Indians will never make more than a living off the land, and they could do that were they given land only half as valuable.

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NEARLY THIRTY-ONE MILLIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The surplus for this fiscal year in the treasury tonight, that is to say, the excess of the government receipts over government expenditures since July 1 last, is $30,540,000. This is the biggest surplus that ever accumulated in the treasury for a similar length of time.

MUST CAUCUS ALONE.

WELLINGTON NOT WANTED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A number of Senators were discussing the new party lines which eliminate Populists, Silver Republicans, Sound Money Democrats, etc.

"How about Wellington?" asked one.

"He will not caucus with either the Republicans or the Democrats."

"No one wants him," replied Senator Vest. "He must caucus alone in the elevator."

ANTI-CHINESE PETITIONS.

MAY BE TONS OF THEM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Chinese population of Michigan is practically nothing, yet Senator McMillan of that State is receiving petition after petition from his constituents, asking him to do everything possible in favor of the reenactment of the Chinese exclusion act. This is the case also with every other Senator. There will be tons of petitions for the reënactment of the exclusion bill presented on the opening day of Congress, if the present inpouring keeps up.

MADE HAWLEY ANGRY.

SENATOR COMMANDED SILENCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The inquiry into the charges pending against Maj. H. O. S. Heistand was resumed by the Senate Committee on Military Affairs today. F. W. Ford, appointment clerk of the War Department, testified to the appointment of Maj. Hawkes as inspector in the Philippines custom service. Witness I. B. Jackson telegraphed that he would be here Tuesday afternoon. While Senator Hawley was reading the telegram, Mackey, counsel for Maj. Hawkes, conversed with his client. The Senator commanded silence, and this led to a sharp debate between the chairman and counsel.

The committee held an executive session, and decided to hear arguments Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The committee then adjourned until Wednesday, when it is proposed to close the testimony.

STARVING COOLIES.

DREADFUL DESTITUTION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—John Goodnow, Consul-General at Shanghai, reports to the State Department that over a half-million of people in the Yang-Tse Valley will starve this winter unless they get help from outside. A committee of foreigners and Chinese has been formed in Shanghai to relieve the conditions of these people.

and all foreigners in China are subscribing liberally.

Contributions may be made through the British Consul-General at Shanghai, P. I. Warren, who is chairman of the Relief Committee.

WESTERNERS AND TARIFF.

WHAT CUMMINS HAD TO SAY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] How great is the alarm of the high protectionists over the possible consequences of discussing reduction of tariff duties at the coming Congress, is shown by the extreme measures about to be taken to apply the rule of the caucus to western members.

Representative Babcock of Wisconsin, with nearly a hundred Republican members of the House behind him, is anxious to revive the agitation which was temporarily halted by the action of the recent reciprocity convention. Speaker Henderson of Iowa and Representative Payne of New York have decided that, at a caucus next Saturday, they will pass a resolution declaring it to be the sentiment of a majority that the tariff be not touched at this time. Here are all the elements of a party split at the outset of the session.

The indications are that the debate in caucus will be very warm. Babcock is more than ever in favor of his bill to lower duties on certain articles of steel and iron, so as to stop the steel trust from selling its protected product abroad lower than in this country. He saw the President today, and had a long talk with him. He made it quite as clear as did Governor-elect Cummins of Iowa, last week, that high protection leaders in Congress have failed to grasp the extent of the dissatisfaction of western farmers with the existing state of affairs. It is stated that President Roosevelt has been impressed with the protests he has been hearing from the West. The western view, as laid down before the President by Governor-elect Cummins, is to this effect:

First—Western Republicans want the tariff revised, either by means of direct reduction in certain duties, or by reciprocity treaties, which shall mean something tangible.

Second—They will not be satisfied with the "let-well-enough-alone" policy, or with any makeshift which pretends to reduce, but actually does nothing of the sort.

Third—They will not put off with reciprocity treaties which affect non-competitive articles and goods, because they know such reciprocity is a sham.

Fourth—They are not content to sit idly by while continental countries are raising tariff rates and shutting out American agricultural products in retaliation for the continuation of our high-tariff walls for the benefit of eastern manufacturers.

Fifth—They will not long endure paying for home-made protected goods, higher prices than those goods are sold for abroad.

Sixth—They want competition in all goods which they consume, and if they cannot get competition at home, they want the tariff reduced so that it may come from abroad.

"POPS" TO MERGE.

DEMOCRATS TO ABSORB 'EM.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The most interesting feature of the new Congress which will assemble next Monday is that, for the first time in several years, the national body of lawmakers will contain only two political parties. The assembling of Congress will be the occasion for the merging of the Populist party into the Democratic party.

While it is true that, in all purely political matters, Populist caucuses could be depended upon invariably to do the bidding of the Democratic bosses, it is nevertheless true that, in considerable legislation of far-reaching importance the Populist members of both Houses have heretofore divided their votes between Democrats and Republicans. But there will be none of this in the Fifty-seventh Congress, because, as soon as that body meets, every man who owes his seat to Populist votes or influence will enter the Democratic caucus, and thus make formal announcement of affiliation hereafter with that party. This will signalize the passing away of Populism as an organized and assertive force in national politics. It will also considerably simplify the situation in Congress, as unquestionably former Populist members will be held steadily to the fixed party programme mapped out by the Democrats in caucus.

SUPREME COURT RECESS.

WILL LAST FOUR WEEKS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—In the United States Supreme Court today, Chief Justice Fuller announced that after the close of business Wednesday the court would take a recess until the following Monday. Usually the court takes a two weeks' vacation for Thanksgiving, but this course was deviated from today in order to permit of a longer recess than usual for Christmas. The present understanding is that the court will adjourn for four weeks Monday, December 2. The repairs on the courtroom are expected to be completed by that time, and when the court reconvenes in January it will occupy its own quarters, vacating the rooms of the Senate Committee on Judiciary, which are now in use by the court.

SOUGHT RELIEF IN DEATH.

ABLE LAWYER'S SUICIDE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Lying against the shore at Mt. Vernon, with his coat pockets filled with stones, the body of Alexander D. Anderson, a well-known Washington lawyer, and commissioner to the Chicago World's Fair, was found today. Anderson left a note for his family Sunday morning, bidding them adieu, saying he was going to end his sufferings of many years, from stomach trouble. He was 58 years of age, a native of Mansfield, Ct., a graduate of Yale, and of the Ann Arbor School of Law, assistant District Attorney of St. Louis under Gen. Noble, and special commissioner of the Pan-American markets for the New Orleans Exposition.

Anderson was credited with being the real projector of the Chicago World's Fair.

HEARD ALL UNMOVED.

MRS. BONINE'S SELF-CONTROL.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The trial of Mrs. Iola Ida Bonine for the murder of James Seymour Ayres, at the Kenmore Hotel last May, became interesting today. The preliminary details as to the finding of the body, the location of the furniture, bloodstains, etc., were all in, with the conclusion of the testimony of J. F. Drew, the Capitol policeman, who was on the stand when the court adjourned last Friday.

Baker, the man who saw Mrs. Bonine descend the fire escape; Hopkins, who roomed over Ayres and raised the first outcry; Miss Williams who roomed under Ayres, and Miss Lawless and Miss Minas, who roomed on either side of him, testified today. The two latter were regarded as star witnesses, but they testified to no facts not developed at the inquest.

Mrs. Bonine throughout the trial today, when witnesses described the cries, groans and throat-gurgling of the dying man, remained absolutely unmoved.

JUSTICE STREET'S CASE.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL HEARS IT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—A hearing was begun today at the Department of Justice in the case of Judge Webster Street of Arizona, against whom a number of charges have been filed, including bribery, corruption and improper judicial conduct in several specified cases. Atty.-Gen. Knox and Asst. Atty.-Gen. Hoyt conducted the hearing, which was held in private. Until the conclusion is reached, no authoritative statement will be made. All the parties in interest, eight or ten in number, were present today.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Conscience Contribution.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Secretary Gage has received from an unknown person, through the collector of customs at New York, a conscience contribution of $18,669.

Kansas Law Knocked Out.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The United States Supreme Court today reversed the decision of the court below, which was in favor of the State, in the Kansas City stock yards case. The case involved the validity of the State law of Kansas, giving authority to fix rates charged at the stock yards. The opinion was handed down by Justice Brewer.

International Revenue Receipts.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The monthly statement of the collections of internal revenue shows that for the month of October, 1901, the receipts from all sources amounted to $24,359,907, which is a decrease as compared with October, 1900, of $3,104,672. The decrease for the four months of the present fiscal year amounts to $8,460,053.

LONG-LOST MINE BROUGHT TO LIGHT.

MAY HAVE BEEN THE PLACE WHERE RIP VAN WINKLE SLEPT.

Found in the Catskill Range and Declared by Its Discoverer to Be Very Rich in Precious Ore—Romantic Tale Told of It.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The Tribune says that after being lost for seventy-five years the Ninety-nine silver mine, once famous throughout the whole Catskill range, has been found again. At least that is the belief of J. O. Poole, a mining expert, who is said to live in Trenton, N. J. He has discovered a cave in the heart of the Shawangunk Mountains, not far from Ellenville, Ulster county, New York, which exposes a wide vein of peculiar ore. Numerous assays show heavy values in silver, lead and other minerals.

Every effort has been made to keep the discovery a secret until mineral rights to the surrounding mountain property could be purchased. Poole and the New Jersey men who are backing him are said to have secured such rights on more than five thousand acres and are preparing to start active mining operations.

The mine takes its name from a Warwarsing Indian named Neopakiptic, but better known as Ninety-nine. The Indian lived near Sockanissing and was accustomed to come among the settlers of the valley with chunks of almost pure lead and silver which he exchanged for provisions. He said that he dug the ore in a cave in the Shawangunk Mountains.

A white friend, Ben De Puy, succeeded in persuading Ninety-nine to lead him to the cave, with his eyes tightly bandaged. De Puy returned with tales of a wonderfully rich ledge. He did not succeed in finding the mine again, however, and Ninety-nine died with his secret untold.

About fifty years ago two western prospectors, it is said, appeared in the mountains, accompanied by a Wisconsin Indian. They were provided with Indian maps and diagrams. They searched for several weeks, without success, and finally returned to the West. Since that time no systematic search has been made, and recently the story has been regarded in the light of a pretty legend.

LOVED HER PRINCE, BUT NOT HIS DEBTS.

ROW WITH HER CONSORT CAUSED YOUNG QUEEN'S SICKNESS.

Very Violent Scene Said to Have Occurred Between Them Because of Wilhelmina's Refusal to Free Prince Henry from Money Lenders.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—In connection with Queen Wilhelmina's illness, the Amsterdam correspondent of the Journal and Advertiser says that before his marriage Prince Henry lived for a time at a pace beyond his means, and as a consequence fell into the hands of money lenders. The debts he contracted in those days were to be settled after his marriage with the rich young Queen, and quite recently Henry made a clean breast of the matter to her.

Upon learning all the particulars, Queen Wilhelmina declined point blank to pay her consort's debts, the result being that a very violent scene took place between them, which ended in Henry rushing away to Germany, and Wilhelmina being taken ill.

It is said that only the most imploring telegrams sent to him by the Queen's mother, Queen Emma, induced Henry to return to Holland.

The Queen's mother is anxious to preserve appearances, at least. Since his return to Holland, Henry has not been once to the palace where his Queen is lying sick.

As proof of the serious character of the Queen's illness, in spite of all reassuring reports to the contrary, may be mentioned the fact that the recent official gazette did not contain a single royal command, which is an unprecedented state of things.

HENRY GOING TO PRUSSIA.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

THE HAGUE, Nov. 25.—Queen Wilhelmina is improving so satisfactorily that Prince Henry will leave Het-Loo tomorrow on a short visit to Prussia.

CALIFORNIA'S INTERESTS.

Secretary Wilson Has Thought of Them.

Interesting Ideas from His Annual Report.

Trial Shipments of Fruit—Fertilizing of Soils—Irrigation Problem.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] No report from any member of the Cabinet contains more information of direct importance to California than the report of Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, made public tonight. In brief, touching California's interests, Secretary Wilson says:

"In order to open up additional markets for fruit and bring better methods of harvesting, packing, storing and shipping the same, a small fund was secured for the present fiscal year, and the results accomplished with this encourage the belief that there are great possibilities for American fruit abroad. Trial shipments of fruits have been inaugurated with such encouraging results that it is believed the work will be undertaken next year on a commercial scale by private interests. With the unrivaled facilities that America possesses for growing the finest fruits and with a clear understanding as to the proper methods of handling, there is no reason why a fine foreign trade should not be developed.

"The prune industry of the Western States has grown to large proportions, but in order to compete with foreign trade, need long has been felt for better knowledge of the methods of growing and handling the crop, and the best varieties to plant. By an arrangement between pomologist and botanist an agent was sent during the year to France to study the prune industry there. The work of this agent resulted in the discovery and introduction of several important varieties that promise to be of value on the Pacific Coast.

"Field work can be carried on during almost the entire fiscal year on California soil. The survey of 640 square miles around Fresno, mentioned in the last report, was completed during the first part of the year. An area of about three hundred square miles was surveyed around Santa Ana and extending from the foothills to the Pacific Ocean, the main part being formed by the vast delta and plain of the Santa Ana River. In that portion of the region above seventy feet there is little or no alkali, and the lands are well adapted to citrus fruits and nut trees. Below this elevation the lowlands are devoted to either alfalfa or natural pasturage and to important special industries, celery and truck growing. The fruit industry is hardly known in this portion of the area.

"Nine different types of soil were recognized, each with distinctive agricultural values and best adapted to different kinds of crops. The soils of the high-lying portions of the area, as a rule, are well drained, and, owing to the small amount of water available for irrigation and the care which has to be exercised in the use of it, very little alkali has been found. Cementing canals and ditches to conserve water gives an object lesson of practical value and economy in the use of water on soils of this character in preventing the rise of alkali which, in the low-lying portion, is a serious menace, but which can be controlled by under drainage. About two hundred square miles were surveyed in the San Gabriel Valley."

FERTILIZING SOILS.

The most important problem encountered was the question of fertilizing soils. California has no fertilizer-control law. Numerous brands of fertilizers are manufactured, each with a special object in view and all sold at high prices and with no guaranties but the manufacturers' analysis. Farmers are using large quantities of these fertilizers, in many cases unnecessarily, and in most cases without discretion, but in the hopes of supplying the requirements of plants and increasing the yield of fruit. There is great necessity for information on these points, and this information can only be gained through extensive plant experiments. Soil maps will show the best places to carry on this experimental work. Investigation on this line by someone competent to undertake such studies should be started at once, and excessive application of fertilizers stopped unless the necessity of such large applications are proved by experiment.

Secretary Wilson says: "The report on irrigation in California, recently published, presents an impressive picture of the manner in which development has been hampered by lack of adequate water laws. The chaotic and conflicting record of claims; uncertain limitations on riparian rights, and failure to protect all rights by public division of water supply in time of drought have been sources of anxiety to the user, and loss to the not less worthy owners of ditches and canals. The marvelous natural advantages of the State have been a sufficient offset to these drawbacks, but the larger and better use of water in future is dependent upon their removal. Especially is this true if the government is to construct irrigation works. Under the present conditions, no one knows who would control the water made available by public funds. No one knows whether the needy user or the speculative holder of the water title would reap the benefits of this expenditure.

"There is every reason to believe irrigation will, in the near future, become a subject for legislation by Congress, and there are important reasons why it should have the attention of that body. Hereafter, seekers for homes on the public domain must look for them in that part of the country where cultivated crops cannot be grown by the aid of rainfall alone, and where the extent of irrigation is the measure of settlement. It has been the policy of this country in the past to dispose of its public lands on liberal terms, in order that men of limited means might be enabled to establish themselves thereon. If this policy is to be continued, more favorable conditions for the reclamation of the remaining irrigable public land must be provided. The largest volumes of unappropriated water now existing are to be found in the great rivers of the West, of which the Missouri, Colorado and their more important tributaries are notable examples. To make these streams available, costly and enduring dams and long expensive main canals must be provided.

"If the outlay for these be added to the expenditure which each settler must make in building his lateral ditches, putting his land in condition for cultivation and supporting himself and family during the period of this preparatory labor, the expenditure will be prohibitive for all except men of considerable means. Because of this, agricultural development in the West has for several years been slow, and the period of rapid progress passed even under the most favorable conditions which can be provided."

OTHER FEATURES.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—An extension of the weather forecast to farmers through the rural free delivery is contemplated. Wireless telegraphy will soon connect the Tatoosh Island, Washington, with the mainland. The department suggests that it might be well for this country to follow the example of Great Britain and exclude live stock from other countries entirely.

The Secretary points out the serious evil resulting from a system of State inspection, which, if it became general, would effectually prevent the marketing of live stock in some sections, and would destroy much of the usefulness of the Federal inspection. He regards the present conditions as so menacing to the interests of the cattle industry from the West and Southwest that he has requested the Attorney-General to cooperate in bringing the matter before the Supreme Court for decision as to the constitutionality of these State laws. This request has been favorably received, and the assistance of the Department of Justice promised.

The Secretary asserts that much loss has resulted to the cattle industry in the West in recent years, owing to the injurious management of ranges. The department's experiments show that much could be done under proper control to restore the ranges to their original conditions, and he recommends action by Congress, giving the President authority to secure for the experimental needs of his department such tracts of public lands as may be necessary.

Fully 90 per cent. of the date palms introduced in recent years is now growing vigorously in Arizona and Southern California. This year a collection of the choicest varieties in Egypt has been obtained.

The Secretary reports that the bureau is cooperating with the Federal government, with the several States and with many private owners in handling their forest lands. Altogether assistance has been asked for a total area of 52,000,000 acres, of which 4,000,000 are held by private owners.

The work of the experiment station in Alaska, with headquarters at Sitka and subsidiary stations at Kenai, on Cook Inlet, and at Rampart, in the Yukon Valley, is regarded as distinctly encouraging.

IRRIGATION MATTERS.

The Secretary devotes a great deal of space to a discussion of irrigation investigations. They have been conducted through the office of experiment stations, and embrace:

First—Studies of irrigation laws and the social and industrial institutions of irrigation and agriculture.

Second—Investigation of the methods by which water is conserved, distributed and used.

In reference to the first subject, the Secretary states that the character of the titles to water finally recognized will do more than all other influences combined to determine whether the western farmers ought to be tenants or the proprietors. Naturally, this makes the disposal of the water resources of the West a matter of vital importance, not only to the persons directly interested, but to the country at large.

The Secretary expresses the belief that irrigation will, in the near future, become a subject for legislation by Congress, there being important reasons why it should have the attention of that body. At the same time, he says that those best informed believe that the uncertain character of water rights can only be remedied by a larger measure of public control, and the making of certain classes of irrigation structures permanently public works. These, it is urged, should not be owned by private parties, and the argument produced in favor of construction reservoirs by act of Congress is the same which justifies setting aside forest reserves and the maintaining of a force to control them.

On the other hand, the Secretary points out that an appropriation of money by Congress to construct such irrigation works will bring the country face to face with a new government policy, and will carry a larger measure of public control over the water resources of the West than has hitherto prevailed, or been sanctioned by public sentiment.

He reviews the influence of land laws on irrigation development, stating that laws which control the disposal of 560,000,000 acres of arid public lands must have a vital influence upon the success of irrigated agriculture. He condemns the Desert Land Act, stating that 640 acres is more than a man of moderate means can cultivate under irrigation. Cutting down the entries from 640 to 320 acres is an improvement, but he believes in the entire repeal of the Desert Land Act and in requiring settlers or homesteaders to cultivate, as well as live upon their land.

Referring to the grazing lands, he says probably 400,000,000 acres of the public domain has no agricultural value except for pasturage.

He winds up the discussion of the subject by presenting the following conclusions:

First—That private enterprise will have to be supplemented by public aid in the construction of certain classes of irrigation works, if we are to secure the largest development of western agriculture.

Second—That reservoirs located in the channels of running streams should be public works.

Third—That the first step toward national aid for irrigation should be the passage of enlightened conditions of water laws by the States to be benefited.

Fourth—That the land laws should be modified by repealing the Desert Land Act, and by requiring cultivation as well as residence on a homestead.

Fifth—That the non-irrigable grazing lands should be leased in small tracts, so as to unite the irrigable and pasture lands.

The Secretary reports the successful introduction and establishment in California of the fig-fertilising insect, with the result that it has been thoroughly established at several points, and the Division of Entomology is now ready to supply fig insects to any grower after he has succeeded in raising to the bearing stage Capri fig and Smyrna fig trees. The discovery is reported by an expert of the division sent to Asia for the purpose that the San José scale is not indigenous to Japan, but that it is so in North China. It has been found in a section of that country where there have been no fruit importations, and all fruits are of native sorts. Further, in this district it was found to have a natural enemy, a ladybird beetle, of which the expert in question has collected many specimens, and forwarded them to Washington, and steps will be taken to acclimate this important species. This importation will doubtless prove of extreme value to fruit growers in this country. Another valuable importation of the ladybird beetle was of one which feeds upon distinct species of plant life, accidentally imported into this country from Europe.

ENGLAND.

WERE WONT TO KISS THE KING'S FOOT.

CORONATION CEREMONY THAT HAS PASSED AWAY.

Act of Homage to the Last Edward Which the Present King Will Have to Forego—Some Ancient Rites That are Retained.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Keen interest has been excited by a report for which a ritualistic paper is responsible, that the ceremonies of doing homage and anointing with oil, and the celebration of the holy communion will be emitted from the coronation service, says the London correspondent of the Tribune. It seems impossible, however, that the statement is well founded.

Nothing is known at Westminster Abbey of such changes, and the English people generally would view with regret the abrogation of the service in any way. The homage is a survival of the old recognition of the sovereign by the people, and although it is no longer necessary to kiss the King's foot, this was done certainly as late as the coronation of Edward VI. The ceremony of anointing dates back to a very remote past. It is appointed that anointing shall be made on the hands, breast, shoulders and elbows and on the head last of all; but, according to the ancient rite, the sovereign was anointed on the head only, and the King may, on this matter, decide to return to the early precedent.

Every English monarch, with the exception of James II, has partaken of holy communion at the coronation service.

LIVERPOOL BANK FRAUDS.

PUGILIST BURGE ARRESTED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Nov. 25.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The pugilist, Dick Burge, was arrested in London on a charge of complicity in the recent Bank of Liverpool frauds. It is said that the police have recovered a large amount of the missing money, which had been lodged in different banks of London and the provinces. The sums discovered aggregate £100,000. A number of other arrests are anticipated. An embargo has been placed on the banking account of a well-known bookmaker.

Later in the day Burge was brought up in the Bow Street Court, charged with uttering checks aggregating $50,000, knowing them to be forged. He was remanded.

VIOLENTLY INSANE.

TRIED TO KILL HER NURSE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Nov. 25.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Miss Helen Vanderbilt Wackerman of New York, who was taken to St. Giles infirmary, November 13, as a wandering lunatic, is now in Claybury Asylum, Woodford, Essex, which is controlled by the London County Council. She was removed to the asylum after a desperate attempt to kill a nurse belonging to the infirmary, whom she almost succeeded in throttling.

Miss Wackerman is now in a padded cell, but Mrs. Wackerman, who has visited her daughter, said today that she seemed to be improved. Mrs. Wackerman has been informed that no steps to obtain the release of her daughter are feasible at present.

When Sausage Isn't Sausage.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The General Board of Appraisers has decided when sausage is not sausage, and the distinction is set forth in an opinion written by General Appraiser Fischer in the case of a firm which protested against the decision of the collector of customs at Honolulu, Hawaii. Sausage is only sausage when it is inclosed in casing. When packed in cans it is prepared meat, and instead of enjoying free entry, it must pay a duty of 25 per cent. ad valorem.

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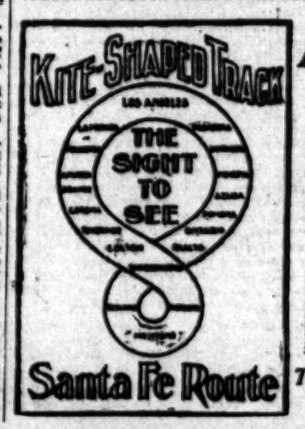

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Dennett Had Too Many Irons in the Fire.

Restaurant Man Goes into Insolvency.

Phil Archibald's Poverty—Alturas at Fever Heat—Barton Vineyard Company.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A. W. Dennett, the restaurant proprietor, filed his schedule of bankruptcy today, giving liabilities of $92,000. His assets are $39,000, but most of his creditors are women and missionary societies.

Dennett, who once had a chain of seventeen restaurants across the continent, from New York to San Francisco, had operated two restaurants here for some years, and he has always done good business, despite the public's tendency to make game of his scripture mottoes on the wall. He asserts his failure is due to injudicious mining investments, and that he goes through the form of bankruptcy to protect his creditors, whom he will pay in full. His real assets are a suit of clothes, worth $20, which is exempt. The largest creditor is Adah Lee, an ex-Indian missionary, to whom he owes $15,000.

Dennett was in his restaurant today, where prominent mottoes are: "The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want;" and "Be sure your sins will find you out."

PHIL ARCHIBALD'S POVERTY.
HIS SANITY SEEMS RESTORED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Phil Archibald, the well-known bookmaker, seems to have escaped from the memory of all his acquaintances," said an old friend of his today.

"I was up at Stockton to pay him a visit the other day," he continued. "To all intents and purposes Phil is completely cured, and is free to go to the tracks whenever he wishes, and does so every day. I was sorry for the poor fellow, as he is entirely without pocket funds, and badly needs a pair of new shoes, although possessed of some $12,000 or $14,000, which is gradually being given away by outside expenses. His wife has an allowance of $40 a month for rent money, besides $100 monthly for her support, yet Phil goes around them absolutely penniless. Although he has been an inmate of the asylum for ten months, his wife has only visited him once during that time. She never fails, however, to come down the $140 per month."

Speaking of his former wealth in diamonds, the friend says that Archibald has told him that the $5000 worth he owned as well has disappeared, and he can no longer hear the tick of an $800 watch.

MERCHANTS FOR EXCLUSION.
VOTE TAKEN ON THE QUESTION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—Contrary to a belief which has been rather extensively expressed here and elsewhere, the majority of the merchants of San Francisco favor an extension of the existing Chinese exclusion act.

That this is true is demonstrated by the result of a poll of the members of the Merchants' Association on the exclusion question.

There are 1290 members of the Merchants' Association, and of these about 1000 have sent replies.

The first question submitted was "Do you favor the extension of the present Chinese exclusion act?" To the query the merchants responded in the affirmative, and 266 replied in the negative.

The direct interest is the second question propounded: "Do you favor a modification of the present Chinese exclusion act?" The replies indicate that 243 of the members favor modification, while 376 wish the present act to be reenacted into law without change.

TAX ON SHEEP.
IT IS DECLARED VALID.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—In the case brought by the counties of Sierra and Plumas against P. L. Flanagan and D. L. Wheeler, sheep raisers, to collect a tax of 10 cents per head on sheep owned by the defendants in the counties, United States Circuit Judge Morrow rendered a decision in favor of the complainants. He denied the request of the defendants for a preliminary injunction, overruled the demurrer, and decided that the sheep-taxing ordinances of the counties of Sierra and Plumas were valid.

The defendants contended that the taxes were for revenue, and not for education, and therefore unconstitutional.

NEW VINEYARD COMPANY.
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 25.—The attorneys of the New Vineyard Company (limited) filed articles of incorporation of the concern in the County Clerk's office today. The company was incorporated in Edinburgh, Scotland, March 20 this year, and the capital stock is $100,000, divided into 20,000 preferred shares at £1 each, and 30,000 deferred shares at £1 each, "with power to increase the capital, and to issue any shares from time to time of new capital, with such preferences as the company may direct."

The document warns shareholders that they must live within the United Kingdom, or must name an address within the United Kingdom at which notices shall be served.

BIG SHOW FOR PORTLAND.
ONE HUNDRED MONEY SUBSCRIBED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Nov. 25.—Canvassing for subscriptions to the Lewis and Clark Centennial, which it is proposed to hold in this city in 1905, started this morning, and it is understood that practically all the capital stock of the corporation, $300,000, is assured as the result of a single day's work. The committees which have in charge the matter of soliciting funds have made no report, but it is known that the amount already subscribed and which foreign corporations are expected to contribute will equal if not exceed $300,000, the capital stock of the Lewis & Clark Corporation. The committees will make a report Wednesday night, and many of the subscribers express the belief that the amount of money pledged by that time will exceed $300,000.

CHINESE EXCLUSIONISTS.
GEARY NAMES COMMITTEEMEN.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—Thomas J. Geary, chairman of the recent Chinese Exclusion Convention, announces the following appointments:

Commissioners of California to Washington—Andrew Furuseth, ex-Gov. James H. Budd, Truxton Beale, James D. Phelan and Edward J. Livernash.

Press Committee—P. Buffington of the Jackson Republican, E. A. Walcott of the Examiner, John McNaught of the Call, Edward F. Adams of the Chronicle, Charles Dunbar of the Santa Rosa Press-Democrat.

Additions to Executive Committee—A. Sbarboro, George Stone, Jeremiah F. Sullivan, James H. Wilkins, Henry H. Taylor, Thomas F. Barry, M. H. de Young, James H. O'Brien, Arthur G. Fisk, J. C. Kirkpatrick, George A. Ross, Eugene E. Schmitz, Ed Rosenberg, J. S. Parry, George H. Knight.

LYNCHED FIVE MEN ACCUSED OF THEFT.

ALLEGED MEMBERS OF LOOKOUT MOB ON TRIAL FOR MURDER.

Inhabitants of Modoc County Much Excited Over the Event and Throng into Alturas—Nearly One Hundred Witnesses—Brief Postponement.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ALTURAS, Nov. 25.—The case of the State of California vs. James W. Brown et al., the alleged Lookout lynchers, charged with murder, was called in the Superior Court of Modoc this morning, Judge J. W. Harrington presiding.

Assistant Attorney-General Sturtevant, Deputy Attorney-General Post and Dist.-Atty. George Bonner of Modoc county appeared for the State, and Judge E. V. Spencer, John F. Baker, C. A. Baker, Judge G. Farris and J. M. Brown for the defendants. The prosecutors announced that they were ready to proceed, but the defendants answered that they were not ready for trial, as the motion for a change of venue, which has been submitted to the Supreme Court, has not been disposed of, and an affidavit to that effect was on file. Judge Harrington, on motion of Sturtevant for the prosecution, adjourned court until 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning, and allowed the prosecution until 5 o'clock this afternoon to file counter-affidavits.

This case, which has been the cause of much notoriety for the county of Modoc, will be long and bitterly fought.

On the night of May 21, 1901, at Lookout, in Modoc county, a mob took old Calvin Hall, a white man named Yantis and two half-breed sons of old man Hall, Frank and Jim Hall, and Martin Wilson, an Indian, and hanged them a short distance from town.

Frank Hall, the younger son, was hanged to a small bridge and the others on the main bridge across the Pitt River.

All five of the victims were being held in the hotel at Lookout on a charge of petty larceny, as there was no jail at that place. Much petty thieving had been going on, and the five were arrested on suspicion, but were hanged by a mob before being brought to trial. Some Indians have claimed that either before or after the hanging, the victims were shot, and there has been some talk of exhuming the bodies to ascertain if this be a fact.

A search warrant had been issued for the recovery of the stolen property, but several weeks after the hanging the supposed stolen property was found, part of it in its proper place, and part on premises belonging to others, and with nothing to connect the Halls or the others with the thefts.

The whole county is taking great interest in the trial. In addition to a venire of 100 jurors already summoned, and nearly as many witnesses, people are present from all corners of the county, and the town is overcrowded.

GLEAVES NEAR DEATH.
PHYSICIANS GIVE HIM UP.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] James M. Gleaves, Surveyor-General of the State of California, lies at Waldeck at the point of death. His physicians announce that he cannot live, and his family is prepared for the end. His illness is due to peritonitis, caused by unknown conditions, which only an examination, impossible now, in view of the patient's critical condition, can disclose.

A week ago last Friday, Gen. Gleaves ate some lobster salad, and within several hours complained of severe pains. It was thought at once that he was suffering from ptomaine poisoning, and he was treated accordingly. After several days, the patient said he was feeling much better, and his physician, Dr. W. D. Clark, thought the worst was over. Just a week after becoming ill, Gen. Gleaves decided that he was well enough to go to his office, but he was persuaded to wait until Monday. Last Sunday he had recovered sufficiently to take a trip through the park, where he walked about considerably. On returning home, he was all right but for natural fatigue, but during the evening he was suddenly stricken again, and a physician was hastily summoned. The pain was so severe that it was necessary to give morphine.

After a consultation, it was decided to perform an operation, which Drs. Barbet and Clark did successfully at about 5 o'clock this afternoon. The entire abdominal cavity was full of pus, but there was no indication that the appendix was involved. Owing to the weakened condition of the patient, it was impossible to determine the origin of the pus.

CITIZENS' BANK TROUBLE.
COURT APPOINTS RECEIVER.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SONORA, Nov. 25.—Saturday last, the creditors of the Citizens' Bank of Sonora met at the request of Thomas W. Wells, manager of the bank, about two hundred and fifty being present. Attorneys Hampton and O'Brien, representing Wells, stated that the copartners, consisting of Wells, his wife and William Harrington, his brother-in-law, were ready to turn over everything to the creditors. The creditors appointed a committee to look over the books and securities. The books showed over $89,000 in deposits. The creditors' committee recommended N. L. Knudsen of Sonora for the receivership. Today, a suit for dissolution and the appointment of a receiver was filed. Judge Nicol appointed Knudsen as receiver, fixing his bond at $25,000. Tomorrow he will take charge of the bank.

The Citizens' Committee found on examination that the last day the bank was open, Wells drew $3175 on account of expenses, supposed to be for salary. Five days after the bank closed, several depositors were paid small amounts. Wells insists that if properly managed, all the depositors will be paid in full. The depositors believe they will not receive 25 per cent. Of the securities, $12,500 consists of old Bonanza mine stock, which some parties are willing to take a bond on, pay the assessments and pay for the stock out of the proceeds. If arrangements cannot be made, the mine will close down indefinitely and fill with water.

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Dr. Williams, a prominent official surgeon, says: "It is the duty of every surgeon to avoid an operation if possible to cure in any other way, and after many trials with Pyramid Pile Cure I unhesitatingly recommend it in preference to an operation. For sale by all druggists. Little book, "Piles, Causes and Cure," mailed free. Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich.

FATAL WRECK.
IONE TRAIN DITCHED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

IONE, Nov. 25.—The Ione train was ditched on returning to Galt this evening. The engine and two freight cars were turned over about five miles below Carbondale by a broken rail. Engineer James Mead and Fireman James Devine were injured, the latter seriously. Bob Mack, assistant engineer, had a leg and arm broken.

DEVINE'S INJURIES FATAL.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

STOCKTON, Nov. 25.—James Devine, the fireman, will die as a result of his injuries, and Mack is probably fatally injured. A wrecking train from Sacramento carried the passengers and the injured to Galt. Devine is well known in railroad circles in this part of the State. He has been a fireman on the Ione branch for about twenty years, making his home in Ione, where his family lives.

The accident occurred about 4:30 o'clock this afternoon, when the train was half way between Galt and Ione, the two terminals of the branch. Recently the Southern Pacific has inaugurated a service of two trains a day each way over the road, which is about twenty-five miles long, and it is quite likely that the increased amount of traffic over the road started the rail from its place. The road will be open for traffic tomorrow.

RYAN DEAD.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 25.—Coroner McMullen has just received the following: "Man named Ryan hurt in railroad accident on Ione Railway line today is dead. Come and get body."

GOT A MEXICAN SCHEME.
TARPEY AND SINGLE TAXER.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 26.—The Call tomorrow will say that, according to the Mexican Parliamentary Chronicle, the Minister of Public Works and Colonization of Mexico has recommended for passage by the Congress of his country a measure which has an important bearing on the Chinese immigration question. It is a bill granting a concession to M. F. Tarpey, John F. Bennett or any company they may form, giving them the entire fishing privileges of the Mexican coast on the Pacific Ocean, contingent on their building and operating a steamship line between Mexico and China and another line for coast trade.

The company is to be free from taxation of any kind, and is to be allowed to land passengers anywhere on the Mexican coast, which is more than one thousand miles in extent. Two years are allowed the company in which to build and operate its steamship lines. In January of this year, M. F. Tarpey, who is a well-known politician, was the president of the Pacific Charter Company, that claimed to have secured concessions from the Mexican government to establish steamship lines between Mexico and China for the purpose of colonizing the Mexican republic with 1,000,000 coolie laborers, many of whom, it was feared, might cross into the United States. A circular was issued in Chinese, asking for financial aid, but the Mexican authorities denied that any concessions had been granted, and the scheme fell through.

John F. Bennett is the attorney for the Chinese Consulate in this city, and it is pointed out that the concessions which the Mexican Congress is asked to grant to him and his associates are similar to those the Pacific Charter Company, of which the same men were the organizers, claimed to have received nearly a year ago.

BOYCOTTERS RESTRAINED.
RESTAURANT MAN THE VICTIM.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

FRESNO, Nov. 25.—Superior Judge Austin today made permanent the temporary injunction restraining F. S. Clark as president of the Federated Trades, and others, from placing a picket in front of John M. Kohler's bakery and restaurant in an effort to divert customers from entering Kohler's place of business.

Judge Austin, in his decision, holds that to proclaim upon the public streets that a man is unfair can have no other effect than to impeach his honesty, and is consequently illegal. The same ruling applies to placards exhibited upon the public streets. Kohler antagonized the labor unions by declining to discharge a non-union employé.

RAINIER'S EXCITING VOYAGE.
MUTINY ON LEAKY VESSEL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The steamer Rainier returned from an incomplete northern trip last night, after one of the most thrilling experiences on record. She was leaking when struck by a terrific storm in the Gulf of Georgia. Dirt from the interior clogged all the outlets, including bilge strainers. Water poured in over the sides, and it seemed as if the vessel were doomed. Capt. Welding says it was a fight for life. Twenty-four men formed a bucket brigade, and by working three hours without rest, kept the boat afloat.

By this time partially-protected anchorage at Cape Mud was reached. Temporary repairs were made, and Capt. Welding decided to run for the nearest port and then continue the voyage north. At this announcement a mutiny arose. First Assistant Engineer Gale and two of the firemen refused to continue the voyage. They claimed that the vessel was unsafe, and after declining point blank to obey the captain's orders, the latter started the steamer for home. The owners immediately discharged the mutineers and part of the crew.

HUSBAND IS MISSING.
BODY OF WOMAN UNCLAIMED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

FRESNO, Nov. 25.—The husband or other relatives of Mrs. Sarah Wooster, who died in a hospital in this city a week ago, cannot be found. The woman was brought to the hospital from Huron, Cal., by her husband about three weeks ago, suffering from an illness which was considered not critical. She died on the 18th inst., however, and the Coroner has since vainly endeavored to locate her relatives. The body was interred today.

MURDERED A CHILD.
INSANITY HIS DEFENSE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—Robert G. Wilson, a former policeman, who shot and killed twelve-year-old Maggie Hartwell, was put on trial for murder in Judge Dunn's court this morning.

Wilson resided on Shipley street, between Fourth and Fifth. On the evening of July 4, a number of children were exploding firecrackers in the vicinity of his home. He became enraged at their actions, and fired his pistol into the crowd, inflicting mortal injuries upon Maggie Hartwell. Insanity will be defense.

MURDER THE CHARGE.
DOLAN MUST STAND TRIAL.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—Sergeant of Police J. H. Helms and Officer Davies testified today at the Coroner's inquest that in the matter of the murder of Albert A. Mole, that H. B. B. Chapman had said, when told that Mole was dead: "Well, if he is, Dolan killed him."

DOLAN ACCUSED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—After several other witnesses had been heard, the case was submitted to the jury, which returned a verdict charging John H. Dolan with murder. The accused man was then formally booked at the city prison.

HEINOUS CRIME.
THREE TRAMPS GUILTY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OAKLAND, Nov. 25.—A report was made to the Sheriff this afternoon that three tramps outraged Linda Gallini, a domestic employed by Capt. Roberts of San Lorenzo, last night. The girl's relatives live in San Francisco.

A posse of officers is scouring the county, and eight tramps are now in prison. The girl cannot identify any of the men arrested.

PRIMARY LAW VALID.
SUPREME COURT DECISION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SALEM (Or.) Nov. 25.—The Supreme Court today handed down a decision sustaining the validity of the Lockwood primary law. The law provides for the election of delegates to county conventions at a general primary held on the same day for all parties. The county court appoints the judges and election officers to preside at the primaries. So far as possible, the principles of the Australian ballot system, and of the registration law are made applicable.

POLICE CASE DECIDED.
GUILTY OFFICERS PUNISHED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Nov. 25.—The Civil Service Commission today passed judgment in the police investigation case, summarily dismissing Police Clerk Easson and suspending for thirty days without pay, Sergt. George M. Leighton.

Easson and Leighton were charged with using a blacksnake whip on the son and nephew of General Manager George W. Dickinson of the Seattle Electric company, the boy having been arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct.

FRANCONIA WRECK.
CORONER'S JURY AT WORK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KINGMAN (Ariz.) Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Coroner's jury, subpoenaed to inquire into the cause of the wreck two miles below Franconia, last Wednesday, has been in session here all day. A large number of witnesses were examined, and the case was continued until tomorrow.

FAIR RICHES NOT FOR HER.

MRS. CRAVEN LOSES AGAIN.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—The motion for a new trial of Nettie R. Craven's famous suit against the Fair estate was denied by Superior Judge Trout today. The decision of Judge Slack, who declared the deeds purported to be made by James G. Fair to be forgeries, is thus sustained.

CONTROL LUMBER CROP.
COMBINE TO USE VESSELS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE, Nov. 25.—It is rumored that a combination of Pacific Coast lumber manufacturers is to be formed which will control the entire output of the Coast. It is said that the Pacific Coast Lumber Manufacturers' Association will control the combine.

The cause of the movement is stated to be the fact that freight rates east are so great that western manufacturers are unable to put their products in eastern cities with any degree of profit. The proposed plan of the lumbermen is to make themselves so strong that they can control the product of the Coast, sending it east by a fleet of lumber vessels around the Horn.

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BRIEF COAST DISPATCHES.

Stoddard on His Defense.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Nov. 25.—Some time ago charges were filed in Washington against Isaac T. Stoddard, Secretary of Arizona, understood to be for using an official frank for forwarding advertising matter designed to result in private financial gain. Stoddard answered the charges, and later applied for leave of absence to visit Washington in person and answer the charges. Leave was granted recently, and Stoddard has gone East. He holds a recess appointment, and expects his nomination to be presented to the Senate when Congress meets.

Wounded in Strange Way.

AUBURN, Nov. 25.—Mrs. F. J. Folsom, residing a few miles out of town, was accidentally and perhaps fatally shot last evening. A gun loaded with buckshot was left standing on the porch. In some manner it fell, and the contents entered Mrs. Folsom's left side. A stray shot also struck the foot of Mrs. Folsom's little daughter. The injured woman was taken to a hospital in Sacramento.

Search for Buried Treasure.

VICTORIA (B. C. Nov. 25.—The Pacific Exploration and Development Company has purchased the brigantine Blakeley, now at Fair Haven, Wash., to carry their expedition to Cocos Island, to search for the buried treasure there. Capt. Hackett will command and Capt. Whidden will be mate. Mrs. Gilbert and Mrs. Enyert will accompany the expedition.

Unusual Weather Conditions.

STOCKTON, Nov. 25.—San Joaquin county is having unprecedented weather conditions. Grass and weeds are beginning to grow again, though it is but a month since they withered and died, and shade trees have begun to put forth new shoots and leaves as though it were spring.

Seven Cars Piled.

REDDING, Nov. 25.—The second train wreck in Shasta county in twenty-four hours occurred this morning three miles north of Delta, and fifty miles north of Redding. For some unknown reason one car of a heavy freight train jumped the track, and was followed by six others. No lives were lost.

Coronado's Second Trial.

SAN JOSE, Nov. 25.—The second trial of Nolberto Coronado, charged with the murder of Frank Narano in July last, near New Almaden, was begun today in the Superior Court, the entire session being occupied to secure a jury. The former trial resulted in a disagreement of the jury.

Purse Snatcher Bound Over.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—Charles Morris, who on Friday last was arrested for snatching the purse of Mrs. George Raymond of Sacramento, today was held to answer by Police Judge Conlan on a charge of grand larceny, in bonds in the sum of $2000.

Legal Point Decided.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—Superior Judge Hebbard rendered a decision today in which he held that companies must issue new certificates of stock to persons who can prove they held stock, but have lost their certificates.

Passed Forged Checks.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Nov. 25.—It was discovered today that three men had been passing forged checks for small amounts on the Mesa City Bank to Phoenix merchants. The men are said to be known, but are not in custody.

Stabbing of Chilean.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—In a row between sailors on board the steamer Peiena, at an early hour this morning, Corsie Guansaire, a Chilean, was stabbed by a fellow-countryman named Miranda, and may die of his injuries.

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HAWAII.

COUNTRY OF CONTRARIES.

Osaki Case Taken to Supreme Court.

Island Tribunals Cannot Agree Upon It.

Home Rulers Still Struggling to Have Dole Removed—Dry Spell Broken.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

HONOLULU (T. H.) Nov. 19.—[A. P. Correspondence. Wired from San Francisco, Nov. 25.] The case of Osaki Mankichi, in which Judge Estee issued a writ of habeas corpus, after the Hawaiian Supreme Court had refused one, holding that majority verdicts in criminal cases were not legal in Hawaii after annexation, has been appealed to the United States Supreme Court. Osaki was convicted of murder without an indictment of a grand jury, and by a verdict of nine trial jurors, after the passage of the Newlands resolution annexing Hawaii to the United States. Circuit Judge Gear held that such a conviction was illegal, and the Territorial Supreme Court overruled him, declaring that the American Constitution, as far as such criminal proceedings were concerned, did not apply to the Hawaiian Islands until after the application of the organic act.

United States Judge Estee took the opposite view. He held that the constitutional rights of trial by jury and indictment by a grand jury before trial were extended to Hawaii at once on the passage of the resolution by which the Islands were annexed, basing his decision on the same grounds as Gear, that the Newland resolutions, in declaring that laws of Hawaii "not contrary" to the Constitution of the United States should remain in force, intended to abrogate such laws of Hawaii as were contrary to the Constitution.

Since July there have been two sporadic case of bubonic plague in Honolulu. The cases were reported recently, both coming at about the same time. They are regarded as a result of the old epidemic, and no quarantine measures have been taken. No such measures will be taken unless a large number of cases appear, as there is thought to be no danger of any epidemic.

At a meeting of the Home Rule Republican party, as it is now known, called to give a farewell reception to Delegate Wilcox, resolutions were adopted asking him to work for the removal of Gov. Dole, and denouncing Secretary of the Territory Cooper for having recommended at Washington that Chinese immigration into Hawaii be allowed. The resolutions against Dole were based largely upon his recent action in raising money for government purposes by borrowing it, under an understanding that the next Legislature would repay the money. Gov. Dole took this course rather than call an extra session of the Legislature, which the Home Rulers want.

The resolutions, as adopted, pledge home-rule candidates in the future to repudiate any debts that the Governor may contract in this way, and this action may interfere to an extent with the Governor's plans to get money. The home rulers claim that he is usurping the powers of the Legislature in thus raising money and calling upon a future legislature to appropriate it. The party also instructed Delegate Wilcox, who was elected as a home ruler to work for the reenactment of the Chinese exclusion laws.

The anti-Chinese resolution declares that while 90 per cent. of the Asiatics that are in the country came here to be plantation laborers, less than 35 per cent. of them are such now, and that the rest are in competition with whites and Hawaiians as mechanics and merchants.

The reports presented at the annual meeting of the Hawaiian Planters' Association yesterday show that this year's sugar crop will be about 360,000 tons. This is an increase of nearly a third over last year.

The dry spell in Hawaii has been broken by a remarkable rainstorm. In forty-eight hours last week thirty inches of rain fell, and there were floods in many places. Little damage was done by the storm. In the city of Hilo, a warehouse of Hackfeld & Co., was washed away, the loss being about $20,000.

SAMOAN AFFAIRS.

COURT-MARTIAL OF TILLEY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TUTUILA, Nov. 12.—[A. P. Correspondence. Wired from San Francisco, Nov. 25.] On the morning of November 5 the United States steamer Wisconsin arrived in the harbor. It was announced that Rear-Admiral Casey had been ordered to Pago-Pago to convene a court-martial to try Capt. B. F. Tilley, the commandant of the station. The news was received with great surprise by the Samoan people, who had been making extensive preparations during the past month to welcome Capt. Tilley on his return.

November 6, the Sonoma arrived with Capt. Tilley and Mrs. Tilley on board. The Samoans of Pago-Pago had built a huge catamaran of native trees, upon which was a bower decorated with evergreens and flowers. Flags and streamers were flying from the masts. They approached the steamer with this immense raft and Capt. and Mrs. Tilley descended to it, whence they were pulled ashore while songs of welcome composed for the occasion were sung. Upon landing at the customhouse, there was a large crowd to meet the captain, who was loudly cheered by whites and natives. Capt. Tilley at once resumed his office as commandant.

U. S. steamer Solace arrived November 7 with Rear-Admiral Evans and the other officers of the court-martial. The Abersanda, which had been dispatched to Apia to bring witnesses for the prosecution here, returned the same day. At 6 o'clock p.m. of the same day, Capt. Tilley was formally served with a copy of the charges and specifications, and was ordered to deliver up his sword. Rear-Admiral Casey interviewed a number of residents and others as to the nature of the evidence they would give on behalf of the government.

The trial of Capt. Tilley began Saturday, November 9. The most important witness was Dr. Blackwell. He testified that about 10:30 o'clock p.m. and on toward midnight he once saw Capt. Tilley lying down outside his cabin door, undergoing a Samoan massage treatment. This treatment is very common here with whites as well as native chiefs. The prosecution closed its case Monday, November 11, rather earlier than was expected. Tuesday the defense began, the chief witnesses being Lieut. Richardson of the Abersanda and Judge Burr. The trial is expected to close tomorrow. From late information it appears that Rear-Admiral Casey, after due investigation, dropped the charges of mal-administration against Capt. Tilley.

Representatives from all Tutuila gathered, November 8, in Pago-Pago to welcome Rear-Admiral Casey and give him the highest tribute a Samoan can offer to a distinguished visitor. It was a large "taaloio," symbolical of allegiance to the United States government. The tribes passed by the rear-admiral, who was accompanied by all the leading officers of the ships, and presented their offerings of submission. Native Governor Mauga made the speech of welcome. It told of the contented condition of the people under the present government, and spoke in the highest terms of Commandant Tilley.

Upon receipt of the official information of the death of President McKinley, an impressive memorial service was held at Pago-Pago.

TRAIL OF RUIN LEFT BY RAGING SEA.

WILL COST ONE MILLION DOLLARS TO REPAIR LOSS.

Hundreds of Small Craft Wrecked and the Big Ship Flotbek Stands Imprisoned in the Sand—Five Lives Known to Be Lost.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The great storm which came up from the South on Saturday night has spent its force in this zone of the Atlantic Coast, and the waters driven up on lowland and beach are subsiding. Hundreds of small craft were wrecked or badly damaged, wharves and piers at every exposed point were battered down, many seaside resorts were unroofed, lowlands were flooded, city cellars were filled, and hundreds of town houses were damaged.

Estimates of the aggregate damage run slightly below, and considerably above $1,000,000.

At Monmouth beach, where the big German ship Flotbek drove ashore, and where there was a thrilling rescue of her crew by life savers, an angry sea was still beating upon the beach today. Wreckers have been engaged, but until the sea calms nothing can be done toward saving the ship and her cargo. The big craft, firmly imbedded in the sand, was still intact, and Capt. Zingler, her master, who watched her from the life-saving station, was sure that she would be saved.

DROWNED IN SIGHT OF HELP.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 25.—Advices received here today by the Maritime Exchange state that five men were drowned yesterday at Long Branch during the height of the storm. The men are supposed to have been members of the crews of the barges Willmore and Grant, which were lost by the tug Eureka.

The two barges came ashore at Chadwick, N. J., about one and a half miles south of Long Branch. There were seven men on the barges when they went ashore. All of the crew of four on one of the barges were washed overboard and lost, while the life savers with the aid of the breeches buoy, saved two of the men on the other barge. The third was washed overboard and drowned.

Further advices to the Maritime Exchange, report the lost of the barges H. A. Hawgood for Providence, Mercedita for London, and Davis for Fall River. The crews were all saved.

LOSS ESTIMATES INCREASE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Reports of the damage done by the storm continue to come in. Details from points on the Jersey coast, the southern coast of Long Island, and the upper shore of Lond Island Sound show that the destruction was widespread, and the monetary loss much heavier than at first supposed.

Long Branch reports tonight that hardly a building there escaped some damage. As evidence of the force of the wind, a plank about 20 feet long, 7 inches wide and 2 inches thick, was torn from the roof of the pier pavilion and blown across Ocean avenue. It struck the Lenox Hotel end on, and was driven into the side of the building to a depth of four or five feet.

The wreck of the tug Haddon at Long Branch is complete. The ship Flotbeck stands almost upright in the sand. The work of unrigging her commenced today. She will be unloaded as she lies. This will be comparatively easy. All that will be needed will be to back wagons up to her at low tide and load the cargo into them.

The wealthy New Yorkers who have summer houses on the upper shore of the Sound visited them today to find wreck and ruin in all directions. The shore walks are in ruins, while fine shade trees are laid low, and extensive lawns piled high with sand and wreckage.

WALLER RELEASED.

Alleged Paramour of Mrs. Dale Given His Liberty Under a Ruling of the Supreme Court.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Elbert Waller, who was arrested on a charge of sustaining improper relations with Mrs. Elizabeth Howe Dale, was today discharged from custody by Recorder Stanton of Hoboken. The discharge was obtained under a ruling of the New Jersey Supreme Court, which holds that in such relations as were alleged against Waller there must be something of a public nature to offend the morals of the State, and that in Waller's case this had not been shown.

The Hoboken police have received no report as yet from the chemist who took away the intestines of the dead child, nor do they expect one for a week. Coroner Parslow, after a conference with the police, today announced that the inquest would not begin until a week from Thursday at the earliest. By that time the police expect to have a preliminary report from the chemists, and this will be used at the inquest.

DEFIANT MINERS.

Establish Another Camp on Site of the One Broken Up Under Order of the Court.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BARLINGTON (Ky.) Nov. 25.—True to their threat to maintain the camp at Nortonville, the union miners erected another tent today on the site of the camp broken up yesterday and hauled to Madisonville.

ASK FOR INJUNCTION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OGDENBORO (Ky.) Nov. 25.—The case of the Reineck Coal Mining Company, asking for an injunction to prevent President James D. Wood of the miners' union and others from interfering with their work, was taken up by Judge Evans today in the United States Court.

The defendant made a sweeping denial of the charges. An order was made to hear arguments for a permanent injunction on December 6. Meanwhile a temporary restraining order shall be in force.

THE PHILIPPINES.

DARE-DEVIL VAN SCHAICK.

Engaged Single-handed a Filipino Band.

Fought Them Until Rescued by His Men.

Insurrection on Bohol Will End With the Surrender of Samson.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MANILA, Nov. 25.—[By Manila Cable.] Second Lieut. Louis J. Van Schaick of the Fourth Infantry, while scouting with a few men of that regiment, met 150 insurgents, who had attacked and sacked the hamlet of Siaraca, near Cavite. Upon seeing the Filipinos Van Schaick ordered his men to charge them. The command was obeyed, and Van Schaick, being mounted, reached the insurgents sixty yards in advance of his men. He killed three of them with his revolver.

An insurgent fired his revolver point blank at Van Schaick, but missed. The lieutenant was then knocked from his horse. He jumped to his feet and engaged in a hand-to-hand conflict with the enemy, using the butt of his revolver. He sustained two severe wounds, one of which nearly severed his wrist. At this point the lieutenant's men arrived, rescued him and put the insurgents to flight.

Van Schaick is in the military hospital at Manila and is doing well. He has already been recommended for a medal of honor for bravery in a previous engagement.

Gen. Hughes, commander of the Department of the Visayas, reports that negotiations are about completed for the surrender of the insurgent leader, Samson, on Bohol Island. This surrender will doubtless end the revolution against the American authority in Bohol, as Samson is acknowledged to be the best insurgent leader there.

SOUTH AFRICA.

FOR EDITOR STEAD JAIL HAS NO TERRORS.

GOES BAIL FOR DR. KRAUSE AND TAKES HIS CHANCES.

British Troops No Longer Err by Following Boers After Clearing a Province, but Wait Until They Have Protected it from Invasion.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Nov. 25.—[By Atlantic Cable.] William T. Stead and Harold Rylett, who this afternoon furnished the £4000 bail demanded for the release of Dr. Krause, ex-Governor of Johannesburg, charged with high treason and inciting to murder, were warned by the magistrate that if Dr. Krause failed to appear for trial they could anticipate being prosecuted on the charge of conspiracy to defeat the ends of justice.

"MAKE HASTE SLOWLY."

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The correspondent of the London Times and New York Times at Pretoria says that the fact that Commandants Touche, Myburgh and Wessels have been left alone for some time in Northeast Cape Colony is adduced as a sign of relaxing British efforts in the colony. The correspondent declares that this is only another instance of the unreasonable impatience recently manifested in regard to the progress of the war.

The mistake was once frequently made after clearing one district, of pursuing the Boers immediately into another, and allowing them to break back into the first. To obviate this now that he has cleared the midlands, Gen. French has been obliged to allow the enemy to remain in comparative quiet in the Barkley East district until he has made sure that they will not break west. The building of line of block houses from the north southeast to Dordrecht which is now in progress will, it is expected, prevent the Boers breaking west.

The columns now operating in this district, if they succeed in clearing the country, will practically free the colony east of the main line from Cape Town.

COLONIAL TROOPS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CAPE TOWN, Nov. 25.—Lord Kitchener and Sir Gordon Sprigg, Prime Minister of Cape Colony, have reached an agreement under the terms of which the Cape Colony government has resumed the control of the colonial troops in twenty-nine districts.

BURNED IN EFFIGY.

Mob Enraged at United States Commissioner Because He Discharged Negro Principal in Stabbing Affray.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

GUTHRIE (Okla.) Nov. 25.—United States Commissioner R. S. Dennee, at this hour, 11 o'clock, is being burned in effigy by an assemblage of 500 people of Roff, I. T., and vicinity, and indignation is high. This action was caused by Dennee's dismissal of a colored prisoner, Jeff Walker, who seriously stabbed a white man, W. L. Robertson, in Roff, last Saturday.

An attempt was made today to lynch the negro. George White, the mob's leader, is now in jail at Ardmore for severely thrashing Dennee, after the latter had liberated Walker. White was immediately arrested on Dennee's order, and sentenced by him to three months' imprisonment and $250 fine.

A mob has formed, and is now looking for Walker, whom they declare they will burn, if they catch him. Robertson will die.

EX-QUEEN LIL MOVES EASTWARD.

SALT LAKE (Utah) Nov. 25.—After a three days' stay in this city, during which time she was the guest of honor at numerous entertainments and receptions, former Queen Lilioukalani of the Hawaiian Islands, left for the East tonight.

EZEROUM EARTHQUAKE VICTIMS.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—According to a dispatch to the Standard from Odessa, 130 persons perished in the recent earthquakes at Ezeroum.

THE TIMES' DAILY STORY.

A CASE OF RHEUMATISM.

BY CARRIE M. TAYLOR.

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THINGS had happened in the town of Rossville—dog fights, runaways, Fourths of July, elections and clothesline robberies—but nothing had ever happened to equal the failure of Thomas Mason, merchant. He went to the wall after doing business for twenty years, owing his New York creditors $2000.

His failure was known at 8 o'clock one morning, and by 9 it was generally understood that his wife's extravagance had precipitated the crisis. An hour later everybody could remember just how many new hats, dresses and cloaks she had had during the last year, to say nothing of hosiery, gloves and shoes. At 11 o'clock Mr. Mason hung himself in his woodshed, and at high noon the body was discovered and public gossip had it that the widow had been left without a dollar, and would have to take in washing. Had a vote been taken the ballot would have stood; Sorry for her, 000; glad on't, 3000.

Mrs. Mason had always been high-headed and exclusive, and so her "come down" was exulted over—not for long, however. The funeral had scarcely been held when it became known that the husband had left her $20,000 life insurance. Public opinion changed at once. She received so many calls of sympathy that the front gate dropped from its hinges, and had any one dared to hint that she was high-headed or extravagant there would have been a row.

After a year of mourning half a dozen different men were ready to give the widow a new name and to handle her cash. She had taken no vow against a second marriage, and she looked more lovable than ever. The list of her admirers included a widower, a bachelor, a divorced lawyer and three young men, and their feet kept her front steps warm. It looked as if she would have to select one of the six to protect her from the other five, but she was in no hurry.

One by one they dropped out until only the lawyer and the bachelor were left. People said it was about an even thing between them, and the lawyer, whose name was Braxton, must have argued the same way. He wouldn't have been a lawyer if he had been satisfied with an even thing.

When two men love the same woman, she is kept plentifully supplied with bouquets, books, music and all else that a lover may send, and never a day passes that at least one does not long to die for her. Neither man can score an advantage, and the case is finally decided on its merits. The bachelor, Mr. Dayton, argued it out that this one would be, but the lawyer didn't. He began to study the widow's character with a view to making a grand coup. She was not ambitious; she was not vain; she couldn't be taken in by flattery; she had just one weak point, as the lawyer lover decided—she was romantic and inclined to hero worship and he would build up his case on that.

It isn't an easy thing to be a hero to order. When Mr. Braxton had decided to take that line, the trouble was to find an occasion. There were no mad dogs running about the streets of Rossville, no raging conflagrations, nobody tumbling into the river to be pulled out, no anything. He walked around for a week or two looking for a hero opening, but as none came he sat down to do some hard judicial thinking. History does not state whether he got through at midnight or was still working when the sun of next morning shone on his face, but he had got his plan just the same.

That forenoon at 10 o'clock he passed the Mason house on his way to the office. The widow, who was working among her pinks and hollyhocks, gave him cordial salutation. He stopped to assure her of his undying affection and, clutching the fence, cried out in pain and finally fell to the ground. The widow cried out in alarm, and when men came on the run the stricken lawyer was borne into her house and put to bed.

It was supposed until the doctor came that it was a case of heart trouble, but he found no symptoms. Then the patient feebly explained that it was inflammatory rheumatism, and that he had felt it coming on for days. If the doctor had never heard of rheumatism knocking a man down with a crowbar on the street, he wasn't ass enough to say so. The lawyer was able to pay a doctor's bill, and the doctor was there to make one. If there was anything queer and mysterious about the case, he had only to keep quiet and charge it in the bill. Thus the news went forth that Lawyer Braxton had a bad attack of inflammatory rheumatism, and that as he couldn't be moved for weeks, Mrs. Mason would be his nurse. A few people spoke of the trouble it would give her, but most of them said it was a romantic incident that must lead to a happy marriage.

Inflammatory rheumatism is a bad thing. A doctor should call on a patient once a day at least, and if he calls twice nothing can be said except in his praise. In this case the doctor didn't hesitate to call. He spoke of the danger to the heart, and he changed medicines, gave directions to the widow about diet and selected a male assistant. The lawyer's scheme worked—that is, the widow spoke words of sympathy and hope, smoothed his fevered brow and with her own hands prepared the gruels and drinks. The patient was duly grateful, and he got hold of the smoothing hand as often and held on to it as long as he could. Eventually he couldn't go to sleep unless he was holding her dear hand. It was a matter of two weeks before the doctor decided that the hour of peril had passed, and as the patient sat bolstered up in bed he decided that the game was in his hands. All he had to do was to slowly get better and ask the widow to lay her hand in his for life. He took another three days, and then one evening after he had been read to for an hour he lovingly said:

"Viola, I feel that I must speak to you tonight."

"Wasn't the gruel right?" she asked in reply.

"This is not a question of gruel, but of gratitude, affection and love, Viola——"

"Please don't get excited."

"I was never more calm."

"But I think you are excited, and you may have a relapse. Here, take my hand, and while you hold it I will tell you something to soothe you and make you go to sleep. Mr. Dayton was here last night?"

"He—he was?" gasped the patient.

"Yes, for two hours when you were asleep. He asked about you and expressed his sympathy."

"But I don't want his sympathy."

"But you must accept it for my sake. I have done my best, haven't I?"

"You are an angel!" he exclaimed, as he patted her hand.

"Not quite, I guess, though Mr. Dayton says so, too."

"But what business has he got talking such bosh to you?"

"Can you hear some good news and not get excited over it?"

"Try me."

"Sure it won't send the rheumatism to your heart? I don't want you to die, you know. Mr. Dayton is going to ask you to be his best man."

"B-b-est what?" stammered the sick man, as his hair began to curl.

"Why, his best man at our wedding. He proposed last night, and I accepted him, and we are to be married in about six weeks."

That night at midnight the rheumatic lawyer arose and dressed and left the house, and the next day it was said that he had gone to the springs for his ailment.

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FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

Ann Von Broth died at the County Hospital in Chicago Sunday night from burns said to have been inflicted by Andrew Boland.

Johnstown, Miss., was nearly destroyed by fire yesterday. Fourteen stores and six residences were burned. The total loss is $75,000.

Gustav Heinrich, a wealthy farmer of New York, was assaulted and robbed of diamonds valued at $350, in Cleveland early yesterday morning.

The German Reichstag has begun the discussion of the new tariff bill, which, with its preambles, etc., comprises several thick volumes.

Three masked men entered "The Mint," a gambling resort at Chickasaw, I. T., ordered all present to hold up their hands, and carried off $700.

The new temporary tariff on textiles, converting ad valorem to specific duties, drawn by the American, German and Japanese importers, cooperating with the Chinese association, has been put in operation in Shanghai.

The Vicksburg battlefield commission has organized by electing Gen. John C. Black of Chicago president; Col. A. C. Matthews, Pittsfield, vice-president; Capt. George S. Durfee, Decatur, secretary.

Mrs. William Swift and infant were burned yesterday at their home near Grannis, Ark. It is supposed she fell asleep while holding the baby in a chair near the fireplace, and her clothing caught fire.

Emperor William is having prepared for presentation to the Germanic Museum at Harvard College a unique collection of plaster casts. The casts will duplicate some of the finest German mediaeval stonework, such as the tracery in the choir of the Halberstadt cathedral.

Robert Wilking and wife of Unionville, O., had a quarrel. Mrs. Wilking, taking her baby, hurried to the home of her father, Jacob Stokes. The husband followed. He shot and mortally wounded Mr. and Mrs. Stokes. A son of Stokes then shot and killed Wilking. No arrests.

Holders of claims aggregating $27,000 have filed a petition asking that the firm of C. E. Mackay & Co., bankers and brokers, of New York, be declared an involuntary bankrupt. It is alleged that the firm conveyed and concealed a large amount of property for the benefit of certain preferred creditors.

The violent storm which swept over the Nova Scotia coast yesterday caused much damage. The tide was the highest since the great Saxby gale. No great damage has been reported to shipping. The storm was severely felt along the western shore. The schooner Glendale, from Charlottetown for Halifax, with a cargo of produce, was driven ashore at Canso, and lies in a bad position.

POURED OIL ON FIRE.

Her Carelessness Caused the Death of Rose Miller and Three of Her Sisters Died With Her.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Nov. 25.—Four persons were burned to death and two seriously injured in a fire this morning which destroyed the residence of J. G. Miller, on Charles street, Knoxville, a suburb of this city. The dead:

ROSE MILLER, aged 23; terribly burned and died on way to hospital.

AMELIA MILLER, aged 19 years, suffocated by the smoke.

AMANDA MILLER, aged 16 years; suffocated.

SYLVIA MILLER, aged 9 years; suffocated.

The injured:

J. G. MILLER, the father, jumped from a second-story window; leg broken and bruised; will recover.

MRS. MILLER, badly burned.

The fire was caused by the eldest daughter, Rose, pouring kerosene in the stove to start the fire for breakfast. The oil in the can ignited, and the explosion scattered the burning oil over the room.

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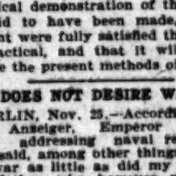

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SMASHED HIS LOVE.

Carrie Nation's Husband Testifies That She Left Home With Their Money and Feather Bed.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MEDICINE LODGE (Kan.) Nov. 25.—The divorce suit brought by David Nation against his wife, Carrie Nation, the saloon smasher, was begun here today. Nation claims his wife took away his feather bed, drew $800 from the bank, and refused to live with him. Mrs. Nation will have her inning tomorrow.

STORE THE SUN'S RAYS.

RICHMOND (Ind.) Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is given out here that a local resident has discovered a method of storing the heat o the rays of the sun. The theory is similar to the making of ice, only the process is reversed. The inventor has discovered a substance which is abundant and cheaply produced, which will absorb heat rays and hold them until driven out again. There has been one meeting of capitalists, at which a practical demonstration of the process is said to have been made, and all present were fully satisfied the process is practical, and that it will revolutionize the present methods of heating.

DOES NOT DESIRE WAR.

BERLIN, Nov. 25.—According to the Lokal Anseiger, Emperor William, while addressing naval recruits at Kiel, said, among other things: "I desire war as little as did my lamented grandfather, who, however, when war was thrust upon him, set off at the head of the army and shared in its hardships and dangers."

BRESCI'S ACCOMPLICE SENTENCED.

MILAN, Nov. 25.—Louis Grannoti, an accomplice of Bresci, the assassin of King Humbert, was today sentenced to life imprisonment at the assises. Grannoti has not yet been captured.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] R. Z. Oak is at the Broadway Central.

GRASS GROWING IN THE SOUTH.

The Valuable Experiments at the Charleston Exposition by the Department of Agriculture.

[Exposition Bulletin:] A great industrial exhibit has corollaries without number. Its educational benefits crop out in every direction in the most unlooked-for quarters. Probably until recently very few persons in this part of the world were aware that there was such an "ology" as "agrostology." That such is the case, however, will soon be demonstrated to them in the most practical fashion. Some time since the newspapers announced the presence in Charleston of Prof. F. Lawson-Scribner, agrostologist to the government, and that his visit was made in order to arrange for an exhibit at the exposition of the department of agrostology.

New Silk Novelties

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FREE.—A Beautiful Calendar [illegible] free postpaid to any one who will write [illegible] Co., Baltimore, Md., and mention [illegible]

SPORTING RECORD.

WILL SPAR UP NORTH.

Jeffries and Brother Booked for a Tour.

Fitzsimmons Can Have Chance to Fight.

"Wild Bill's" Victory—Ruhlin's Easy Work With Burns—Football.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Billy Delaney, Jim Jeffries's manager, was in Portland today to make arrangements for a number of exhibitions to be given by the champion on his way to New York City, where he intends to meet Fitzsimmons personally and talk with him regarding a fight. It is the intention to give sparring exhibitions between the Jeffries brothers in Portland, Seattle, Victoria and Vancouver, British Columbia and Salt Lake City. Then a jump will be made to the East, for Fitzsimmons is to be given the first chance with Jeffries.

Jeffries will arrive here in about a week, and will meet Delaney, who left this evening for Seattle, to be gone two or three days.

GOT FITZ BY WIRE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORTLAND, Nov. 25.—Delaney is jubilant over the fact that Fitzsimmons has expressed himself as willing to meet Jeffries. Delaney made the following statement: "I am pleased to hear from New York by telegraph this evening that Fitzsimmons has signified his willingness to meet Jeffries in February. Jeffries is glad that the fight will take place on California soil. We shall go to New York, where Jeffries will have a personal interview with Fitzsimmons, and probably sign articles there."

LIPTON AND THE CUP.

HE MAY CHALLENGE AGAIN.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Nov. 25.—[By Atlantic Cable.] "Should no one else challenge, I am willing seriously to consider making another attempt to lift the cup."

This announcement was given out by Sir Thomas Lipton at the banquet given at the Hotel Cecil in his honor tonight, and which was attended by more than four hundred guests.

"It would never do," added Sir Thomas, "to give up when only a pulse beat came between us and victory."

While Sir Thomas paid glowing compliments to the United States, he confessed his chagrin at being unable to "put on that table the famous old mug."

He offered both the Shamrocks as trial boats to any Britisher anxious to challenge, and closed his remarks with the declaration that he would be willing to make another attempt for the cup should no one else do so, expressing his confidence that the third Shamrock would have the luck of the three-leafed shamrock.

DIRECTUM TO BE SOLD.

GREAT TROTTER OF HIS DAY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Directum, for years the king of trotting stallions, will pass under the auctioneer's hammer this week at the Fasig-Tipton sale, which begins tonight in Madison Square Garden. He belongs to the estate of the late W. E. Spier. As a race horse Directum probably never had a superior. His record of 2:05¼, made in a race as a four-year-old in 1893, was considered extremely remarkable at that time. In his three and four-year-old form, he met all the horses of any note training in America and defeated them.

RUHLIN'S EASY MARK.

JIM BURNS WAS SPARED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SALT LAKE (Utah) Nov. 25.—Gus Ruhlin and Jim Burns of Spokane boxed six one-minute rounds before a small crowd at the Salt Lake Athletic Club tonight. No decision was rendered. Ruhlin, however, was easily Burns's master, but after knocking him down in the first round, made no attempt to put his man away.

Ruhlin and his manager, Billy Madden, leave for Chicago tomorrow, where Ruhlin will try to get a match with some of the heavyweights.

MAKE HERO OF DE SAULLES.

RECOVERING FROM INJURIES.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BOSTON, Nov. 25.—John L. de Saulles, the quarter-back of the Yale team who was injured in making a flying tackle of Marshall in the game Saturday, is still at the Massachusetts General Hospital. The house physician says that De Saulles's condition is perfectly satisfactory, and with continued improvement, he will return to New Haven today. There is scarcely an end to the inquiries as to De Saulles's injury, especially from Harvard, where his pluckey effort, which stopped another score, is looked upon as heroic.

STRICT NEW RULES.

THINNING OUT PROFESSIONALS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The Amateur Athletic Union has decreed "that any man who receives pay for officiating at athletic games shall not be eligible for registration."

Chairman Steel of the Registration Committee has been ordered to refuse the applications for registration of paid officials. Referees of basket ball who accept money for services rendered will share a like fate.

"Wild Bill's" Victory.

LOUISVILLE (Ky.) Nov. 25.—"Wild Bill" Hanrahan of New York won from Jimmy Handler of Newport today, Handler throwing up the sponge in the eighteenth round.

Football Triumphs.

FRANKLIN (Ind.) Nov. 25.—University of Indiana 5; Franklin College, 0.

NORMAN (Okla.) Nov. 25.—University of Texas, 11; University of Oklahoma, 0.

Crack Foreign Team Entered.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Hall and MacLaren, the famous long-distance cyclists of England, who are the latest team of foreign riders to enter the international six-day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden, will arrive on Wednesday morning, accompanied by Floyd McFarland, who has been in Europe for the past two months selecting the best cyclists to compete in New York's annual event.

Arizona Gun Clubs.

PHOENIX, Nov. 25.—The Territorial tournament of gun clubs meets tomorrow. All of the best marksmen of Arizona and many from outside points are in attendance. It is the biggest event of the kind ever held in the Southwest. A special train of twenty-five shooters arrived this morning from the south.

"Young Griffo" Winner.

CINCINNATI (O.) Nov. 25.—After ten rounds of hard fighting, "Young Griffo" of Chicago was awarded the decision over "Kid" Ashe of this city before the Phoenix Athletic Club tonight.

Toy Toyed With "Kid."

PUEBLO (Colo.) Nov. 25.—In a very fast bout at the Rivers Club tonight, Eddie Toy of San Francisco was given the decision over "Kid" Bennett of Cripple Creek at the end of ten rounds.

MURESCO THE ONLY FAVORITE TO WIN.

BOOKS HAD MUCH THE BEST OF RACES AT OAKLAND.

Mounce Carries Off the Riding Honors by Landing Three Winners—Birkenruth First to the Wire in Two Events. Herculean Left at Post.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—Muresco was the only favorite to win at Oakland today, and the books had much the best of the argument. Form was at a discount on the heavy track, and picking the winners proved a difficult task. Mounce carried off the riding honors by landing three winners, while Birkenruth was first to the wire in two events. Herculean was left at the post in the fourth race, and was then claimed by H. C. Ahlers for $725. Results:

Six furlongs, purse: Arthur Ray, 118 (Bullman,) 10 to 1, won; The Ledalan, 113 (Spencer,) 20 to 1, second; Milas, 111 (O'Connor,) 5 to 1, third; time 1:19¼. Maj. Bird, St. Chester, Schwartzwald, Perfection, Rosarie, The Maniac and Roy Cook also ran.

Five furlongs, purse: Muresca, 96 (Birkenruth,) 11 to 10, won; Sol Lichtenstein, 96 (L. A. Jackson,) 7 to 1, second; Rio de Alter, 117 (Ransom,) 5 to 1, third; time 1:03⅘. Huachuca, Patsey Dolan, Sir Tom Tiddler, Crinkle, Invectus and Alseura also ran.

One mile and seventy yards, selling: Flying Torpedo, 100 (Birkenruth,) 4 to 1, won; Bedeck, 107 (O'Connor,) 3 to 5, second; Rio Shannon, 107 (Bullman,) 4 to 1, third; time 1:49½. Rushfields also ran.

Seven furlongs, selling: Hungarian, 109 (Mounce,) 10 to 1, won; Redwald, 107 (O'Connor,) even, second; Bob Palmer, 100 (Ransom,) 20 to 1, third; time 1:31. Tiburon, Free Lance, Alas and Herculean also ran.

Six furlongs, selling: Ned Dennis, 109 (Mounce,) 3 to 1, won; Sharp Bird, 112 (Birkenruth,) 2 to 1, second; Native, 109 (J. Matthews,) 11 to 5 third; time 1:17. Educate, Princess Titania, El Rey, Gibraltar, Mamie Hildreth and Windward also ran.

One mile and a sixteenth, selling: Floronso, 109 (Mounce,) 3 to 1, won; Castake, 109 (Romero,) 8 to 1, second; Lodestar, 109 (Bullman,) 5 to 2, third; time 1:52. Cromwell, John McGurk, Koenig, Phil Archibald and Rinaldo also ran.

Bennings Summary.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Seven furlongs: Wellesley won, Rabunta second, Flara third; time 1:34.

Five and a half furlongs: Blanche Hermann won, Lomoyne second, Giron third; time 1:12 4-5.

One mile and fifty yards: Ohnet won, Anak second, Fonsol third; time 1:48.

Five and a half furlongs: Extinguisher won, White Owl second, Waswift third; time 1:15 3-5.

Mile and a sixteenth: Wonderlich won, Lamp O'Lee second, Surmise third; time 1:55.

Mile and 100 yards: Kingstelle won, Baloon second, Bounteous third; time 1:56.

Slashing of Steamer Rates.

SEATTLE (Wash.) Nov. 25.—A cut and rate war between the several Seattle-San Francisco steamship companies is threatened. The Kruze line and the Pollard-Dodge Company have already cut. So far the Pacific Coast Steamship Company has not met the cut. Meanwhile there is a prospect of several former Nome steamers being placed on the Seattle-San Francisco run, and the advent will no doubt precipitate a vigorous slashing of rates.

Cannot Collect Her Bequest.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—The Supreme Court today decided that the heirs of Hattie A. Trundle cannot collect the $50,000 which was bequeathed to her by Adolph Sutro. It is held that the claim should have been presented when the will of the millionaire was offered for probate and that while the demand is undoubtedly a just one, it cannot be supported by law.

Officer and Bad Man.

SANTA ROSA, Nov. 25.—Officer Herman Hankel, one of the best-known men on the local police force, was shot tonight by "Foxy" Allen, a young man who had been making trouble in the tenderloin. In return Allen was shot and mortally wounded by the officer.

Lemon Crushed by Train.

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 25.—Charles Lemon, supposed to be from San Francisco, was killed by a train near this city today. He started to walk to Stockton, stopped at a suburban resort, drank heavily, sat down on the end of a railroad tie, went to sleep and was crushed to death by a passing train.

Loud Starts for Washington.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—Congressman Loud left this morning for Washington to take up his labors in Congress for his seventh term.

The Autosweeper.

American inventiveness has devised a new machine, called an autosweeper, which is to be sold or leased to city governments. It will be propelled by steam, and the promise is made for it that it will clean up cobblestone pavements as effectively as asphalt. If this assurance is found to be true, the contrivance will be especially useful in some of our boroughs. Unfortunately, none of these machines will be ready for delivery until next year.—[New York Tribune.

A Desperate Case.

Wigg: I hear your friend, the undertaker, has been adjudged insane.

Wagg: Yes, poor fellow. I'm afraid his case is hopeless. He is trying to discover an elixir of life.—[Philadelphia Record.

RAILROAD RECORD.

MR. BURT DID LAY NO DIRT.

Governors Can Keep on Raising Dust.

President not Helping the Blind Pool.

Northern Pacific Certificates Payable at Certain Time. Solano to Burn Oil.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] President Burt of the Union Pacific Railroad today called upon the President and had a long and earnest conversation regarding the Northwestern Railroad situation. The President does not look with kindly eye upon these vast blind-pool consolidations.

Burt tried to get the President to call off the Northwestern governors, who are raising the dust about the consolidation there. He did not succeed. In fact, he did not succeed in getting the President to say much of anything.

SWITCHMEN STRIKE ON SEVEN RAILWAYS.

PITTSBURGH MEN DEMAND SCALE PAID IN CHICAGO.

In Anticipation of Possible Trouble the Companies Have Their Yards Guarded With Special Policemen—Men Expect to Tie Up All Traffic.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Nov. 25.—The switchmen on seven railroads of Pittsburgh have decided to strike at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning. At a meeting of the Brotherhood of Switchmen tonight, which was attended by about six hundred members, this action was decided upon, and the result of this meeting can only be conjectured. In anticipation of possible trouble, it is learned that the Pennsylvania Railroad has made application to the city for sixty officers to be on hand in the union yards at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning, and in the Baltimore and Ohio yards fully 100 Pinkerton men are on duty tonight.

The claim made at the switchmen's meeting tonight was that 700 to 1000 men would obey the strike order in the morning. The demand of the men is that the Chicago rate be paid here. This rate is 27 cents an hour for day conductors, and 29 cents for night conductors of switch engines; helpers, 25 cents day and 27 cents night. The Pittsburgh rate at present is 25 cents for day and 26 cents for night conductors; 19 cents day and 20 cents night for helpers.

Grand Master Hawley of the Switchmen's Union is expected here tomorrow to conduct the strike.

NEVIN ON OIL RATES.

HIS FIGURES CRITICIZED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] W. G. Nevin of Los Angeles, general manager of the Santa Fé Pacific, Southern California and San Francisco and San Joaquin Valley railroads, was a witness before the Railroad Commissioners today in regard to oil rates. While he gave facts freely about the cost of running a railroad and transporting freight, yet on cross-examination he asserted his ignorance of details and figures of traffic and financial matters.

Of chief interest in Nevin's testimony was the array of figures that he presented regarding the cost of transporting freight between Bakersfield and Point Richmond. He declared the cost of moving a ton of freight per train mile was $2.76. Assuming that 5.95 barrels of oil weigh a ton, he arrived at the conclusion that it cost 47.55 cents to transport a barrel of oil to San Francisco from Bakersfield. This would doubtless have been a telling argument in favor of not reducing the present freight charge of 42 cents per barrel, had the fact not been subsequently brought out that 47.75 cents was the average cost for all kinds of freight, some of which paid rates enormously in excess of that figure, such as $15 and even $18 per ton, by the side of which the alleged loss on oil of about 34 cents per ton appeared trifling.

When, on cross-examination, Nevin was questioned as to this and also as to other statements showing deficits in the local part of the road, he pleaded ignorance of data pertaining to traffic, earnings, etc.

VALLEY ROAD'S DISTRESS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—General Manager Nevin testified that the cost of moving a ton of freight on the Valley road was 78.68 cents. Including all operating expenses, such as are produced by terminals, etc., the proportional expense would be $2.60. On the same basis of computation, the witness said that the cost to move a barrel of oil from Bakersfield to San Francisco was $.4755.

According to Nevil, the Valley road is not a source of much revenue to the Santa Fé. Figuring interest on bonds representing $6,500,000, there was a deficit of $250,000 for the fiscal year.

"The Valley road could not pay its pay roll, to say nothing of maintenance as a local road," said Nevin. As peculiarities of oil freighting, Nevin said it cost just as much to haul three empty oil-tank cars back as to ship two from Bakersfield.

Capt. A. H. Payson testified as to the construction of the Valley road, saying that it was certainly built economically, and that cars could be operated on it at a reasonable expense. The case will probably be submitted tomorrow.

NORTHERN PACIFIC CERTIFICATES.

WHEN TO BE PAYABLE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The Northern Pacific Railroad Company has issued a circular to the holders of the company's common stock, notifying them when the convertible certificates of indebtedness, to be issued in order to retire the company's preferred stock, are to be made payable. The circular says:

"Such conversion may be made by the Northern Pacific Railroad Company at its option any time after November 15, 1901, and shall be made payable at the option of any holder of any such certificate, at any time on or after January 1, 1902. The railway company has contracted to sell and deliver to other parties on the same terms all of the issue of convertible certificates of indebtedness except such as may be purchased by the holders of the common stock."

OIL ON THE WATER.

THE SOLANO WILL USE IT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OAKLAND, Nov. 25.—The largest ferryboat in the world, the Solano, which plies between Port Costa and Benicia, is to be converted into an oil consumer by the Southern Pacific Company. The tanks for the oil have been shipped from this city to Port Costa, where they will be installed on the ferryboat. The tanks have a capacity of 6000 gallons, or an equivalent of 500 tons of coal.

This will make the fourth boat converted into an oil burner within the past two months.

The huge oil tank the Southern Pacific Company has contracted for is being constructed. It will hold upward of a million gallons of oil, and will be the largest yet built by the company. The work will be completed in ninety days.

The average number of freight cars being handled at West Oakland by the Southern Pacific Company every day is 1000. The freight business is on the increase.

SANTA FE EXTENSION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Nov. 25.—Nothing has been made public recently regarding the intentions of the Santa Fé road. F. M. Murphy, president of the Santa Fé, Prescott and Phoenix, which was recently sold to the Santa Fé, is at the head of a company that will build the road from Phoenix to Benson, as previously published. Statements regarding a further extension into Mexico are purely speculative.

Clues to Identity.

The number of clews each of us carries with us every day of our lives, and by which detectives could surely identify us, is endless.

Take clothes first of all. A man, as a rule, gets all his clothes from the same tailor; but, whether he does or not, and however carefully he endeavors to cut off every tag and mark, that tailor would have no difficulty in identifying the garments he has made. Thread, stitching, buttons, lining—all tell their own tale. More particularly so do what tailors call "specials." These are simply special pockets—fountain pen and pencil pockets, eyeglass pockets, watch pockets lined with wash leather, cigar, ticket, flask and inner waistcoat pockets.

A watch brought a murderer to justice about four years ago. It was not a stolen one, but his own, that he had had for years. His defense was an alibi. He very nearly proved that he had not been at the scene of the crime within three months of the date of the murder. Had not one of the detectives engaged in the case been formerly a jeweler's apprentice the man would have got off. But inside the criminal's watch case was the record, written so that only a watchmaker could read it, that the watch had been in the hands of a jeweler for repairs the very day before the murder. The watch was submitted to a number of watchmakers, and at last recognised by one who had put into it a new mainspring. The alibi was broken down, and in the end the prisoner made a full confession.

The man who has ever gone to a good dentist has left behind him a lifelong record which would enable that practitioner to identify him with absolute certainty. Such a dentist makes note of every tooth he stops, and more particularly what he puts into it. Stoppings are of dozens of different kinds in these days. Plain gold or plain amalgam is comparatively rarely used. Gold and platinum in various proportions and many other metals are employed, so that, unless a criminal has all his teeth pulled out, he can most certainly be identified. Even then a plate is as sure a clew as a coat.—[New York Sun.

Love Made Him Go Round.

Lady: What brought you to this deplorable condition?

Tramp: It was a love affair, ma'am.

Lady: Poor man! How very sad. Here's a quarter for you.

Tramp: Thanks, ma'am. Dis will kinder give dat love affair uv mine a boost. You see, it was my love fer liquor dat put me on de hog train.—[Chicago News.

Saving Money.

Frank: What a disagreeable fellow you are. I hear you have quarreled with every girl you know."

Joe: Not every girl; only those who became October brides."—[Gazette.

MIRROR, SCALES, ETC.

There was a man. And his mirror said "sallow skin." And the scales said "losing weight." And his friends did wag their heads as he passed by. But being a prudent man he forthwith swallowed daily certain pleasant doses of Scott's Emulsion.

Then his mirror said "ruddy face." And the scales sunk beneath his weight. And his friends looked upon him with amaze.

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"Alexis" fleeced novelties, dark colorings, a very desirable material for wrappers, really a 15c grade; Broadway special, per yard..... 10c

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New crop hand-picked navel oranges, ripe and sweet. You'll see oranged, not as good, on sale all over town at 25c the doz. On sale in our basement, per doz. 12½c.

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Large size best white semi-porcelain turkey platters, perfect in every respect; qualities that we sell regularly at 50c, 60c and 65c each. On sale all day at 33c.

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A standard grade of shirting calico, light grounds, handsome stripes and neat figures; sells regularly at 5c and 6¼c. On sale this morning, 8 to 9 a. m. only, per yard, 2½c.

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Pint bottles washing ammonia, worth 5c. This morning, 8 to 9 a. m. only, per bottle, 2½c.

15c Fancy Ribbons 10c.

Splendid quality fancy ribbons, new color combinations in beautifully varied patterns; 4½ inches wide; splendid value at 15c. On sale all day, per yard, 10c.

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Have many advantages over the old-time, cumbersome ordinary rubber plates, and even over gold plates, being much lighter and thinner. These plates are flexible, only a trifle thicker than heavy writing paper, fit closer and adhere better to the roof of the mouth. Particles of food and small seeds cannot get under them. They will last longer, are stronger than any others and will not break, as they will give first, being flexible. Dr. Schiffman's own process and made ONLY by us.

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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	46	34	37	New York	46	36	42
Washington	46	40	43	Buffalo	36	34	35
Pittsburgh	42	34	38	Cincinnati	42	36	40
Chicago	36	34	36	St. Paul	28	14	21
St. Louis	44	32	41	Kansas City	34	20	27
Los Angeles	76	52	64	Jacksonville	66	46	56

*The maximum is for November 24; the minimum for November 25. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Nov. 25.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.02; at 5 p.m., 30.05. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 52 deg. and 58 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 100 per cent.; 5 p.m., 35 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast; velocity, 2 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 7 miles. Maximum temperature, 60 deg.; minimum, 50 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—Cloudy weather prevails on the Pacific Slope, with rain falling this morning in the Sacramento Valley. Showers have fallen in the northern portion of Nevada and Utah, and on the Washington coast. The weather is generally unsettled, and there is a possibility of showers within the next twenty-four hours.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy tonight with fog; unsettled Tuesday, possibly with showers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The following are the seasonal rainfalls to date, as compared with those of the same date last season, and rainfall in the last twenty-four hours:

Stations—	Last twenty-four hours.	This season.	Last season.
Eureka	.12	10.02	15.07
Red Bluff	.34	5.84	9.64
Sacramento	.08	3.77	6.30
San Francisco	Trace	4.25	5.35

San Francisco data: Maximum temperature, 58 deg.; minimum, 50 deg.; mean, 54 deg.

The pressure continues to fall along the northern coast, and a storm of moderate energy appears to be coming in from the sea along the coast of Oregon and Northern California. Conditions are favorable for a southerly extension of the disturbance. The temperature continues warm in California, ranging from 1 to 10 deg. above normal in the valleys. Showery weather is likely to prevail generally throughout California, with good rain in the northerly portion. Forecast:

For Northern California: Cloudy, unsettled weather Tuesday, with rain; fresh to brisk southerly winds.

For Southern California: Cloudy, unsettled weather Tuesday; probably showers; light southerly winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled weather Tuesday; probably rain; fresh to brisk southerly winds.

Sacramento and vicinity: Rain Tuesday; fresh to brisk southwest winds.

TEMPERATURES AT 7 A.M. YESTERDAY.

New York	40	Chicago	36
Boston	38	Minneapolis	14
Philadelphia	42	Cincinnati	40
Washington	42	St. Louis	38

Liners.

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LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND; the pair, MRS. GRACE HEATH, 213 S. Broadway. Tel. James 1257. Goods called for.

IF YOU WANT A FIRST-CLASS WINDOW cleaner say MAIN 715, or call 142 W. FIFTH. House windows a specialty.

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RECIPE FOR INTERNAL REMEDY FOR internal piles sent to any address for 50c. J. FREITAG, 204½ Commercial st.

I NEED LILLIE WEBB'S SOAP TO SOFTen the hard water, only 10c. Sold by all dealers.

LILLIE T. WEBB HAS RETURNED TO city. Staple washing soap, ring up BLUE 6798.

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Help, Male.

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A Strictly First-class, Reliable Agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Your orders solicited.
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Four miners, $4; grocery clerk, speak Spanish, $40 month; milker, $30 etc.; chore man, $12 etc.; man and wife, ranch, $40 etc.; man and wife, orchard, and cook for men, $40 etc.; assistant book-keeper, $20 etc.; home place, $35 etc.; bricklayer, $5 day; track men, Nevada, $2 and $2.25; canvassers; woodchoppers, $1.50 cord; 6-horse teamster, $40 etc.; laborers, $1.75; plow man, $30 etc.; orchard hands, $25 etc., $26 etc.; harness-maker; 12 carpenters, $3; boys, $1.50 to $5 week; scraper teamsters, $1.25; etc.; ranch, carpenter, $40 etc.; woodchoppers, $2.50 and $3 cord; married man, orchard, $40 and house; man dig clay, $2; stacker machine man, $2; tree pruner; blacksmith apprentice, $4; milk delivery, $25 etc.; tinsmith, $3; blacksmith, $3; another, $2.75; butcher, $40 etc., etc.; railroad men, Arizona, $2 and $2.25.

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Second cook, do pastry, $60 etc.; all-around cook, restaurant, country, $1.50; all-around baker, country, $15 etc.; night clerk, $15 to $20 etc.; third cook, $8 etc.; vegetable man, $7 etc.; dishwasher, $7 and $8.

WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT.
Housegirls, city and country, $20 and $25; family cook, Pasadena, $30; ranch housekeeper, $25; girls to assist, $15; nursegirl, $25; second girl, $20.

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Three waitresses, Santa Monica, $25; restaurant waitresses, $5 and $7; waitress, Santa Paula, $20; Redlands, $20; chambermaid, $20; cook for hot springs, $35; waitresses, Ventura, $20; mother and 2 daughters for Catalina, $60; lunch waitresses, $50; waffle cook, $7 week; (Lizzie Rossenfeider please call.)
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WANTED—100 (ONE HUNDRED) MEN FOR road and ditch work; teamsters and pick and shovel men, $45 and found a month; 10 hours a day; pay every 10th of month in cash; no hospital or doctor's fee, no discount. Report to P. S. ROACH, Tucson, Ariz.

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WANTED — SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, successor to W. L. Hughes & Co., 111½ S. Second st. 'Phone green 731; reliable place to get reliable help. Correspondence solicited.

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WANTED—A JAPANESE BOY, WHO UNderstands fine cooking, wants place in family as schoolboy. HANADA, 503 W. Sixth st.

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WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 2 YEARS' EXPErience plumbing and gasfitting, desires position. Address K, box 21, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY A BRIGHT JAPANESE BAKer, a place to work in a large bakery. Address H. MOTOYA, 921 E. First st., city.

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WANTED — A JAPANESE FIRST COOK desires situation in family, city or Pasadena. HIRATA, 250 Winston st.

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WANTED—POSITION AS BOOK-KEEPER; ten years' experience. Address J, box 60, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — JAPANESE WANTS WORK, forenoon until 3. Address G, box 28, TIMES OFFICE.

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SEEING WITH NEW LIGHT.

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs, in his annual report just published (from which copious extracts were published in yesterday's Times) makes a very correct portrayal of the conditions surrounding the education of the Indian. In his preceding annual report he had called attention to some of the obstacles in the way of making the Indian self-supporting. This year he adds another obstacle, namely, education. Mr. Jones evidently makes this statement with some timidity. He justifies his assertion, however, by statements of fact. He shows that in spite of the enormous sums—amounting to fully $20,000,000 during the last twenty years—that have been spent on Indian education, the results have been practically fruitless. The total number educated is conservatively estimated at 20,000, making the cost equivalent to $3250 per capita. But the worst feature of the case is the fact that so many of those educated lapse into barbarism again after they have returned to their homes. Commissioner Jones paints a vivid picture, contrasting the Indian in his rude and half-savage surroundings at home and the conditions under which he is placed in the schools, where "matrons wait on him when he is well and physicians and nurses attend him when he is sick," and where "a steam laundry does his washing;" where "music entertains him in the evening" and he "has hot and cold baths and steam heat and electric light, and all the modern conveniences." After all this the Indian returns to his parents "whom his education must make it difficult for him to honor," and is left to struggle against the ignorance and bigotry of his tribe. Not having earned his education, he does not, as the Commissioner says, appreciate it.

All this is too true, and it is well that the officials of the Interior Department have come to understand the fact. Indeed, it is unfortunate that they did not long ago appreciate and assert it.

Incidentally, it may be worthy of note that this is the same Commissioner of Indian Affairs who a few months ago saw fit to advocate the erection of new school buildings for an Indian school at Riverside, thus incurring large and unnecessary expense, when the existing school at Perris (which was shamefully fled about by the political gang interested in undermining it) might have been enlarged to accommodate all the demands upon it for a fraction of the cost of the new establishment at Riverside.

NATIONAL IRRIGATION INDORSED.

Secretary Hitchcock, head of the Interior Department, in his annual report, just made public, takes a very decided stand in favor of a system of national irrigation. He expresses the opinion that the act of June 3, 1887, known as the timber and stone act, "if not repealed or radically amended, will result ultimately in the complete destruction of the timber on the unappropriated and unreserved public lands." Secretary Hitchcock further declares that the time has arrived "when reservoirs must be built and managed as a part of a national system of forest and water conservation. If they cannot be successful, however," he adds, "without a thorough system of forest protection."

Referring directly to the question of reclamation of lands in what are known as the arid regions, the Secretary says that "the investigations which have been carried on demonstrate that there is no one question now before the people of the United States of greater importance than the conservation of the water supply and the reclamation of the arid lands of the West and their settlement by men who will actually build homes and create communities."

These views are exactly in accord with those of the National Irrigation Association, and with the opinions of practical irrigationists generally. The scheme to cede the arid public lands to the Territories and States in which they lie is a narrow, dangerous and impracticable project, which, if attempted, would end in failure and inequality. Secretary Hitchcock is quite right in saying that there is no question of greater importance before the people of the United States than that of the reclamation of the arid lands of the West, and the settlement of those lands by an industrious and self-supporting population. The friends of national irrigation—the only practical system for the reclamation of these vast arid areas—have much cause for gratification at the growing interest taken in the question by people in all parts of the country; and especially at the handsome indorsement of the system which the Secretary of the Interior has given in his annual report. This indorsement, and the recommendations which accompany it, mark a distinct step forward in the work of securing the inauguration of a comprehensive system of irrigation by the national government. The official views of Secretary Hitchcock are broad, statesmanlike, and creditable to their author in an eminent degree.

Secretary Hitchcock puts his views into practical, concrete form by recommending that construction be begun at once on "the San Carlos storage reservoir in Arizona, reclaiming 100,000 acres or more of public land at an estimated cost of $1,040,000; reservoirs in the Sierra Nevadas in California, for reclaiming desert lands in Nevada; the diversion of St. Mary's River into the headwaters of Milk River in Montana."

The time has come to begin this great work of public necessity. The only right way to carry it forward to a successful conclusion is for the national government to take the matter in hand, proceeding upon a broad, practical and systematic plan, which will eventually result in the reclamation of all the irrigable lands in the great arid regions, will provide comfortable homes for many thousands of industrious and deserving citizens at a moderate cost, will add immensely to the wealth and productive capacity of the nation, and will, in the end, cost the national government absolutely nothing.

CUBAN ANNEXATION TALK.

There is a great deal of talk in Washington and throughout the East on the subject of the annexation of Cuba to the United States. Some time ago it was announced that a movement had been started in Cuba having annexation for its object. It has been evident for more than a year past that some strong influence was fostering and carefully propagating annexation sentiment. The persistency which has been shown in pushing this question to the front indicates that those who are working up annexation sentiment are not acting from purely disinterested motives.

There are good reasons for believing that the American Sugar Refining Company—otherwise known as the sugar trust—is the principal influence which is urging the annexation of Cuba. The motive is as transparent as it is selfish. It is the purpose of the sugar trust to crush out the beet-sugar industry in the United States, to the end that it (the sugar trust) may secure an absolute monopoly of the trade in this country, which would enable it to fix an arbitrary price upon all sugar consumed by the American people, as the Standard Oil trust fixes the price of refined petroleum.

The beet-sugar industry in the United States has attained large proportions under the protection afforded by the Dingley tariff. Since that law was enacted, in 1897, some thirty beet-sugar factories have been built, whereas only ten were in operation at the time the law was enacted. The forty factories now in operation represent a total investment of about $30,000,000, and they are capable of supplying one-fifth of the sugar consumed in the United States. Under the Wilson tariff, from 1894 to 1897, not a single beet-sugar factory was built. The acreage planted to sugar beets last year aggregated about 200,000, principally in the States of California, Colorado, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, New York, Ohio, Oregon, Utah, Washington and Wisconsin. The rapid growth of this industry under the moderate protection given it by the Dingley tariff has so alarmed the sugar magnates that they have evidently entered upon a campaign of extermination against it. The opening battles of this war will probably be fought out at the coming session of Congress. The sugar trust will endeavor to secure the adoption of a reciprocity treaty admitting raw sugar from Cuba free of duty. It will also try to have sugar placed on the free list. If these plans fail, as they probably will, the possible annexation of Cuba will still hold out to the sugar trust a hope for the accomplishment of its purpose.

It is probable that the island of Cuba will at some time in the future become part of the United States. But the time is not yet opportune for annexation. When the time for annexation comes, the beet-sugar industry of the United States will probably be so well established—if Congress does not in the meantime place in the hands of its enemies the power to crush it—that it can successfully meet Cuban competition.

The movement for annexation must come, if it comes at all, from Cuba. The United States is not in a position to make any move in that direction, even if it were desirable for us to do so. We are pledged to turn over the island to its inhabitants so soon as they shall have established for themselves, with our aid, a stable government. They are moving steadily, though slowly, to that end. At present there is no responsible native government in the island. There is no authority with which a treaty of annexation could be negotiated, even if our government were ready and anxious to negotiate such a treaty, which it is not. When there shall have been established in Cuba an autonomous government, Cuban annexation will become a possibility, with honor alike to the United States and Cuba. Such a thing is not possible under existing conditions.

The State wardens of Massachusetts have prohibited fishing in Lake Chargoggagoggmanchauggagoggoggachaubunagungamaugg until next June. If the fish grow in size in proportion to the name of the lake, the Tuna Club of Catalina will have to take back seats when it comes to hauling out "sockdolagers."

The stories which are rife about King Edward's coronation exercises would indicate that our own Ananias, Joe Mulhatton, has been busily engaged, from the other side of the big pond, in delivering himself of a few November "whoppers."

Ellen Terry now announces that she will retire from the stage at the close of her present season; but she does not state that she has arranged for her a series of farewell tours, which should come immediately after her "retirement."

It appears that Grover Cleveland is merely suffering from a cold in his head. As William J. Bryan is suffering from cold feet, it would seem that things have gone to extremes in the conditions of the Democracy.

That German octopus called the "Kartell," or sugar trust, appears to be a combine which should be promptly hauled up to the official chopping block and given a decapitation.

In spite of the many invitations he has had to write and lecture, Admiral Schley is demonstrating to the American public, and the world at large, that "silence is golden."

Miss Stone is to be killed January 1, unless the full ransom is paid. Those brigands have a cold-blooded way of making threats, whether they are "bluffing" or not.

There is danger that Missionary Stone will become so aged before her release is perfected, that Agent Dickinson will have to ask her if she is the original rock.

The fresh Senator from Washington has learned that President Roosevelt is still President and is handling the reins of government without assistance.

The Holland submarine boat has demonstrated that Jules Verne's "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea" isn't such an improbable yarn after all.

England could use a few more soldiers at the front, but "Tommy Atkins" is just now busily engaged in singing, "There's No Place Like Home."

Oil gushers, which have been struck in Russia, are indicative of the fact that Czar Nick now has a new class of "suckers" to look out for.

Gen. Alico has indicated that he intends going into the wreckage business at Colon as soon as he can get his guns trained upon that city.

A man in West Virginia was shot by mistake for a turkey. One cannot be too careful between now and Thanksgiving Day.

President Roosevelt's antagonists will all agree that he doesn't appear to be at all backward in calling a spade a spade.

Instead of a story of but a few chapters, the Boer war promises to develop into a work of several volumes, before it is completed.

As a sort of polish to top off the list of November happenings, the wreck of the Rio de Janeiro has again been discovered.

The lecture platform and the magazine editor are making strenuous efforts to do the loop act to Admiral Schley.

President Roosevelt threatens to switch the railroad combine off onto a side track and wreck the entire outfit.

The market price of missionaries goes up and down with all the irregularity of November corn.

The coronation robes are on exhibition at London. Placed your order yet?

MEADE COURT-MARTIAL.

Most of the Testimony Related to Certain Repair Work Done on the Marine Barracks.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The Meade court-martial was resumed at the navy yard today. Col. Frank Lee Denny was under direct examination for most of the morning session. Lieut. Niblack, the Judge-Advocate, introduced as evidence the report of a board of survey on the barracks of January last. The report contradicted Col. Denny's testimony on many points in connection with the condition of the barracks.

When asked by Lieut. Niblack why Col. Meade was not placed in charge of the repair work in the marine barracks at Brooklyn, Col. Denny declined to answer, saying that his answer would be uncomplimentary to Col. Meade.

Col. Denny testified that he had no improper financial relations with architects or contractors engaged on the repair work. He also denied knowledge of a conspiracy against Col. Meade. Col. Denny was cross-examined at length, the defense seeking to show that there were irregularities in the repair work.

INJUNCTION AGAINST COPPER SALE

HELENA (Mont.) Nov. 25.—Judge Knowles today granted a motion for a partial dissolution of the injunction restraining the Boston and Montana from selling out to the Amalgamated Company, or so far as it prevented the payment of dividends to creditors. John MacGinnis contested the motion through an attorney. Bond was fixed at $1,500,000, and the Boston and Montana will qualify in double that amount.

Chu Fong, a leading Chinese merchant of New York, as the agent of a syndicate of Chinese merchants in Hongkong, has applied, through his St. Louis attorney, C. H. Bauer, for space at the St. Louis World's Fair for a Chinese exhibit, which will, he says, surpass any representation China ever made at any World's Fair. He offers to give a bond of $100,000 to the exposition as a guarantee of the surpassing merit of the proposed display.

AT THE THEATERS.

LOS ANGELES THEATER. Last evening at the Los Angeles Theater the beautiful idyllic drama, "Shore Acres," opened its third engagement in Los Angeles. In the continued success of James A. Hearne's play, "Shore Acres," there is something splendidly encouraging to optimists. This is the tenth consecutive season for this ideal comedy-drama of American home life, and the theater-going public does not seem to tire of its manifold beauties.

"Shore Acres" is at the Los Angeles only three nights and a special Wednesday matinée, but already there is a wholesome atmosphere pervading this playhouse.

Those who have seen this delightful prose idyl will tell you that its story is an exquisite one; that it is descriptive of life sweet and self-sacrificing and of hearts tender and true. There are laughter and tears and a merry strain of comedy to lighten the deeper shadows.

And while you watch the unfolding of its pure and simple story the fresh salt air seems to waft in from the ocean and blow away all that is small and mean and sordid in man's nature.

The simplicity of "Shore Acres" is its greatest charm. Nature, not art, demands your sympathy and attention in Hearne's play. Not a false note jars, not a rude chord vibrates. You feel yourself transferred to the rock-bound coast of Maine, the meadows behind you, the shining water in front; above you God's blue sky, and near you people, honest, sterling and true. The man raised in such an environment will find a tear chased away by a laughter bubble; a sigh fade away to a smile as he listens to dear old Uncle Nat's homely sayings, or Ma Berry's quaint reiterations. And for the holidays many a fond parent will go home resolved that the children's stockings shall be filled fuller than ever before, and that the little ones of the poor shall not be neglected. Then, as the curtain descends upon the final scene with the quaint old-fashioned interior devoid of human presence, there remains a sweet remembrance, a benediction, and a restfulness that is seldom encountered in this twentieth-century rush.

The company is excellent, evenly balanced, and among them six members of the original company, who have been playing their parts for ten years. The central figure of Nathaniel Berry is excellently done by James T. Galloway, an acceptable successor of the veteran, James A. Hearne. There seems to be no effort in enacting the role, it is presented so naturally and easy. Adkins Lawrence as Matin Berry presents a strong character. One of the effective characters, accurately presented, is the part of Ame Berry, Martin's wife, played by Belle Theodore; a quaint part and artistically done; Marion Cullen as Helen Berry, and Mary Henery as Liddy Ann Nye, are both clever artists. James Burrows as Capt. Ben Hutchins is one of the comedy hits. Charles E. Fisher makes much of the trying role of the old grass widower, Joel Gates. Bert Flashburgh as Sam Warren, the young physician, can be mentioned for clever work.

Above all, the children should not be missed—clever children are an everyday feature of the stage at the present time. But the "Shore Acres" children are artists, every one, in so cleverly depicting home life naturally, particularly Vivian Bryen as little Mandy Gates, who goes through the entire play of four acts and speaks but two words. The strongest scene, "Having an Understanding," is given in the interior of the Berry Lighthouse between the two brothers, and is one of the most realistic stage pictures ever witnessed at the Los Angeles. The closing scene probably is the most effective, and should certainly be seen to be appreciated. "Shore Acres" is one of the modern stage sermons.

"The Girl From Maxim's" is to be presented at the Los Angeles Theater Thursday afternoon and evening, and is claimed to be the best comedy ever sent to this country from Paris. "The Girl From Maxim's" had its first production in this country at the Criterion Theater, New York. The engagement there was highly successful, having been played upward of 150 nights, and always to the capacity of the theater. It is very French, but it is claimed that there is nothing in the least to offend the most fastidious.

BURBANK. "Roanoke," at the Burbank this week, has just the ingredients needed for a successful melodrama. The heart interest necessary to enlist the sympathies is present in abundance. Virtuous sayings, long statements of nobility, fall from the lips of the worthy persons in the play, and these always appeal to the highly moral nature of the gallery. "Roanoke" pleases the people. The applause on Sunday night was of the thunderous order.

Of the actors Sydney Platt as the Idiot and Miss Donetta as Aunt Dinah are easily first. Aunt Dinah is really a very clever study—both in make-up and acting, of an old darkey mammy.

The play will run this week.

ORPHEUM. It is "The Girl with the Auburn Hair" that stands alone as the unique feature of the Orpheum bill this week, and in her first appearance in Los Angeles, last evening, she scored a decided hit. On the programme she is just "The Girl with the Auburn Hair," and so she remains. Who and what she is, is the mystery, but it is a secret that the stage people are more than anxious to give wing. But it is just that atmosphere of mystery that adds charm to an act wholly out of the general run of vaudeville. So the mystery is respected.

This mysterious young woman calls to her aid the powers of light and shade. The curtain rises on the interior of a cathedral. It is evening, and shadows fall long and somber, and about the great pile all is still. The silence creeps over the footlights, and the audience seems to feel the solemn grandeur of the hour and place.

Cold and clear the sweet soft notes of many bells fall like a benediction, and then the deep full notes of the organ can be heard, faint, as though far down the aisle of the great church, then louder and clearer. Presently a woman's voice takes up the refrain. The rich full notes of the hidden singer only adds to the spell.

The great church is still in shadow, but presently faint lights creep through the Gothic windows. Fainter, fainter grow the outlines of those massive columns, and clearer and more distinct the interior lights. Altar, organ, aisle take form, and before you is the dim interior of the cathedral. Beside the organ stands the "The Girl with the Auburn Hair," in the surplice of a choister. Presently the lights again grow dim, and once more there stands before you the cathedral's face in shadow. And all the while she sings.

It is a decided shock when the garish light breaks forth, but there are other acts. The other features on the card for this week are high-classed and good. There is the Onlaw trio with sensational feats; the Fraser troupe of very clever dancers. The latter would be the star feature on an ordinary week, as they are away ahead of the average attraction. Joseph Adelman is not to be forgotten, nor is Fred Niblo, a monologist of powers as an entertainer that are not to be lightly regarded. Burton's trained dogs are "the best ever."

STATE SNAPSHOTS.

THE AUTOMOBILE COAT.

Oh, girl in the automobile coat,
What a painful sight you are!
With that long thing flopping around your heels,
Our feelings you sadly jar.
Now, if the garment was cut to shape,
It would be all correct and right,
But the meal-bag hang of the awful thing,
Is surely a horrid sight.

Oh, girl in the automobile coat!
We never can reconcile
Ourselves to the looks of your long-tailed gear,
Simply because "'tis style;"
You will never look (in the eyes of man)
Like an angel sweet and fair,
So long as you wear that shapeless thing,
And parade in it everywhere.

Oh, girl in the automobile coat,
Why don't you keep off the street?
Or trade the horrible baggy rag
For a garment that's trim and neat;
Look at yourself in the mirror there,
And tell me—and tell me true,
If you don't think that the fashion plates
Have slipped a tremendous screw!
Young man, does your girl wear one of these frights?
It is painfully evident that the Pasadena young boy is the worst kind of a kid puzzle to solve.

S. G. Stannard of Long Beach, who sold booze illegally, is keeping Justice Hall busy earning his salary.

Visalia has lost its merry-go-round, and the sound of the hand-organ no longer keeps people awake nights.

Pasadena's barefooted burglar continues to leave his footprints here and there around the Crown of the Valley.

Red Bluff will organize a football team provided the boys will sign an agreement not to cut their hair for three months.

Eighth Warders are of the opinion that there are already too many bad smells emanating from that section, without a gas plant in full blast.

Amateur detectives are doing the Sherlock Holmes act out at Downey with all the earnestness of a small boy trying to land a half-pound sucker.

Santa Cruz brags of seeing two whales near the lighthouse. Go to. We can show you a school of sharks down here near our poker houses any day.

A fifty-pound beet is exhibited at the Chamber of Commerce. This ought to be big enough for some of Chief Elton's club wielders to go to sleep on.

A football eleven composed of mutes has been organized near Berkeley. If the question is not improper may we ask who does the swearing and rooting for the team?

A Tulare man has 200 mules housed up in an old skating rink. This is believed to be the biggest lot of Simon-pure cussedness ever gotten together in so small a space.

A Sacramento youth tackled his father with a club, and the old gentleman responded by tickling his son's ribs with a knife. Truly a great exhibition of family felicity!

Three thousand chicks were hatched at Petaluma in a single day, but it is not believed the price of eggs will take a drop because of this big addition to the ranks of the "layers."

Santa Clara youths have formed a club for the moral development of the youngsters of the town. Now, there's a hint for Pasadena, providing they can get a quorum to carry on the work.

Boisterous Sally Jones, a denizen of 'Frisco's half-world, tossed a lighted lamp at a policeman and broke his nose. Sally appears to be sadly in need of a few lessons in physical politeness.

Fourteen packages of cigarettes were found in the pockets of a small 'Frisco boy. The youngster didn't intend to lose any time in getting himself in shape for the fool ward of the Insane Asylum.

A frisky horse tried to batter in the works of A. C. Haight, concealed beneath his vest, by planting its heels vigorously in that spot. Two slats were demolished and A. C. is now thinking about it in bed.

Just why some chaps will persist in hitting only the high places on the downward toboggan slide is a mystery. Hank Hiestand of Alameda started the pace that kills, and wound up with an embezzlement charge hanging over him to the tune of 100 plunks.

A Main street man stepped on a cake of soap which the hired girl had carelessly left on the stairs she had been cleaning. The man was alive when he reached the bottom of the stairs, but his Sunday-school record was woefully cracked and sprained.

Sixteen hobos broke a whole wheelbarrow of rock at San Berdoo in one hour. It is earnestly hoped that the officials will not insist upon making the vags keep up such a pace for any length of time. They will have the whole gang wind-broken in two days time.

"Tennessee Bill," the hobo who boasts that he has seen the inside of every jail in the State, is once more making his annual fall pilgrimage through the country. Los Angeles has a nice job in the chain gang waiting for the effete William as soon as he strikes town.

A 'Frisco sign painter fired three shots at his mother-in-law at close range, and never phased the old lady. This should discourage other chaps who may have similar designs on their wife's mother. Mothers-in-law are hard things to shake for good, and that's no dream.

Stone Breakers' Union No. 1 has organized at San Berdoo with sixteen charter members. All that is required to be eligible for membership is to hang around town doing nothing. Goat riding for new members occurs every Monday evening in the Hotel Do Nothing. Do you belong? If not, why not?

A Lodi vineyardist whose religious tendencies interfered with the marketing of his grapes, solved the problem as to whether or not he should sell his grapes to a winery. He consulted the Bible and discovered the verse: "Thou shalt not be wasteful." That settled the Lodi man and the winery got his crop.

A Pasadena mother has three daughters who are studying French, German and Latin respectively, and she declares that the sounds which issue forth when the three girls study together reminds her of the Buffalo Midway, with its conglomeration of languages, more than anything she can think of.

An itinerant circus performer who was stranded in 'Frisco has taken to earning his living by a new series of tricks, known to the police as bicycle stealing. The chances are that he will be given a chance to throw hand-springs around the inside of San Quentin for the entertainment of Warden Aguierre.

A San Jacinto man drank at a spring near the road, and then rode into town and told how a band of Apaches had chased him down the mountain trail. His friends are of the opinion that the spring water was impregnated with something which can only be produced at Riverside drug stores by knowing how to wink right.

A Riverside rancher bought two colonies of a new species of bee, guaranteed to be great fighters. So they proved. They settled on the rancher the first time he came near the hives and made him think he had died and gone to the hot place with the short name. He will now trade the bees for old lumber, mules, seed potatoes or side pokes.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Political Rough Riding.

It is evident that so far as the spoilsman and boss are concerned, President Roosevelt is still a rough rider.—[New York Press.

Joining the Criminals.

And so Spain is now going to perpetuate the crime of 1873, not to say anything about putting on a crown of thorns and crucifying on a cross of gold.—[Boston Herald.

Chicago's Smoke Nuisance.

Three final and forty-one other warnings were sent yesterday to violators of the smoke ordinance. If warnings were smoke consumers how quickly this nuisance would be suppressed.—[Chicago Post.

Not the Only Decadents.

President Eliot of Harvard says our preachers and judges are deteriorating. This leaves a chance for the pulpit and the bar to come in with a few remarks about the quality of college professors.—[Denver Republican.

Will not Need Advertising.

President Roosevelt's first message to Congress will be awaited with great interest. It is peculiarly important as a current literary production which does not require the stimulus of publishers' advertisements.—[Washington Star.

Not Clearly Proven.

The national president of the W.C.T.U. declares that the saloon is the cause of anarchy. True, it is rather difficult to conceive of an anarchist gathering without pots of beer, but the assassin of President McKinley was not addicted to liquor.—[Kansas City Journal.

Keeping Up With the Times.

A farmer in New Jersey has been accused of stealing electricity from a trolley company and stimulating his crops with the spoils. This certainly is a wonderful age, but it is still more wonderful how people manage to keep up with it.—[Baltimore American.

The Last of Their Kind.

The Populist party will disappear from the United States Senate at the coming session, as Senators Heitfeld and Dubois of Idaho will formally join the Democratic side and attend the Democratic caucus. The whole Senate will then be divided between Democrats and Republicans, a condition that has not prevailed before in about ten years.—[Springfield Republican.

A Tardy Acknowledgement.

The coronation of King Edward VII will be memorable for various things, not the least of them being his decision that in point of precedence and all honors the Presidents of republics shall be regarded as the equals of kings and emperors. That is a fine recognition of popular sovereignty, which not all monarchs have been willing, even in our day, to make.—[New York Tribune.

Rapid Growers.

Russia has discovered that America has captured practically the entire steel trade of Eastern Siberia. To recover this business the Governor-General of Amur province has proposed to the Imperial Ministry of Agriculture that government warehouses for agricultural machinery be established at Vladivostok and Blagoveschensk to give Russian manufacturers an advantage in competing with the Yankees. Evidence accumulates that some of our "infants" are big boys now.—[Minneapolis Times.

RIPPLES OF MIRTH.

At the Zoo.

The Monk: Five baby elks have been born here within the last four weeks.

The Cockatoo: By George! we'll organize a lodge.—[Smart Set.

Just Like a Widower.

Little Clarence: Pa, when Lot's wife was turned to salt what did he do?

Mr. Callipers: Began to look for a fresh one, I presume.—[Smart Set.

In the Papers.

Ida: They say Belle is the picture of health these days.

May: Yes, some remedy company is using her picture in their testimonials.—[Chicago News.

One Hope of Escape.

Servant: Mr. Brown, the florist, is at the door with his bill.

Brown: Keep him waiting for a minute and I'll put my money in my wife's name.—[Smart Set.

More in His Line.

"Do you think I will make a player?" asked a sluggish applicant for football.

"You may make a chess player," said the coach. "You are slow enough in moving."—[Boston Bulletin.

Not a Miracle, Either.

Larry: Phwas thor iver hything iny more wonderful thon th' camel going thro th' eye av th' nadle?

Denny: Yis, Ol've sane me two-hundred-pound old woman go tro me vist pocket, bedad.—[Chicago News.

Threatening a Bolt.

"But you will thunder down the ages!" the admiring constituent cried.

The Great Politician looked at him perplexedly.

"Sometimes I imagine I am going to thunder!" he said.—[Smart Set.

Let Us Hope So.

Pearl: I see where some philanthropist is going to run a few drug stores for the purpose of giving free medicine to the poor.

Ruby: Gracious! I wonder if they will have a gratis soda counter attached.—[Chicago News.

Woman's Way.

When a man asks a woman to marry him she says:

First: Don't be ridiculous!

Second: Yes.

That is, she gives him good advice and straightway deprives him of the opportunity to follow it.—[Smart Set.

Consolation.

Oh, woman, do not loose your wonted cheer
When three gray hairs upon your head appear;
A word of consolation I'll let fall—
Can they be counted, they don't count at all.

—[Smart Set.

"It Goes Straight Ahead."

Those newspaper publishers who think it necessary to trim their sail to every breeze, to kotow to every vagrant public whim and to stampede to a cyclone cellar every time a gust blows up from the labor or other cloud, are respectfully referred to the Los Angeles Times and its very unusual success. That paper neither caters nor curries. It is not afraid of fools, fakes, frauds or agitators. It goes straight ahead. Its issue of yesterday contained 105½ columns of small advertisements, which are always the barometer of newspaper popularity. The three big papers of San Francisco together contained something less than seventy-five.—[Alameda Argus, November 18, 1901.

LETTERS TO THE [illegible]

[The Times freely publishes communications, without indorsement, for writers' opinions. We hold writers alone responsible for the statements made. The space of the letter, as a rule, is sufficient for the expression of a single idea.]

A Public Discussion.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. [illegible], 1901.—To the Editor of The Times:] That "Public Business" has brought about the splendid results well shown and characterized by J. Lincoln Ainslee's Magazine for October every voter should read this valuable analysis of the political diseases and to see what remedies are applied. The Times of October [illegible] an important part of this article editorial with good suggestions. Way Out."

The increasing evils of bad government are really the result of neglect of good people to make influence adequately felt in politicism without effective remedies move the causes condemned and discourages good citizens inevitably follows the practice of politics by office-holders, politicians, and selfish ax-grinders.

But we are finding out that we longer afford to neglect politics too closely related to business and the public welfare. not be permanently happy or prosperous until we make the the commonwealth. The monarchy is bad government, the atmosphere defiled by Tammany its scores of lesser blood relations "machines" fosters the evil root until it buds and blossoms Czolgosz. If we have not manhood and every-day patriotism ourselves political laziness suffers a thrice-repeated scourge this is but the inevitable result age of light and progress of able, easy-going, good-natured ance of evils that we could well able to remedy.

We must remove the cause apathy and discouragement vent too many voters from active interest in politics and to neglect their civic duty. of government must be simplified and conducted on business principles. The antiquated cumbrous method of making tions must be thoroughly as to enable voters to put their ism into practice without tax upon their time and labor.

The most hopeful way to truly and fully a "government people, by the people, for the is for patriotism, like charity, at home. All agree that government is the administration of his corporate property which are the people. The present politics has no proper place in pal affairs. The best citizens parties can easily agree on and management of this trust. They can readily organize to secure the greatest number.

One hindrance is a disgrace to see and feel the truth ernment today in a civilized tian republic is both a and a pestilent calamity. poison taints the social atmosphere, benumbing the concerning vices that in this decency should not tolerate influences are especially deleterious conscience and honor of children young people, who see party sent to jail, but political robbers people sent to the United States

Golden and political dust eyes by mercenary slaves of this world" blind us to that the best way to increase in Los Angeles and to attract people to visit and settle here all in our power to secure citizenship such as good people with children require for their homes is what has so greatly helped growth of Pasadena, Pomona, specially of Redlands and Riverside.

Any sincere and judicious secure good government and the support and active help of who have the ability, and who can take time to insure it. With such assistance movement will be wisely and be certain to do great can ought to join in such do whatever is practicable the necessary preparation fair city fully worthy of its name. Little permanent done until we perfect an partisan organization that rallying point for the forces righteousness. Such an has made a good beginning, be a great power for good the faith, patriotism and so splendidly overthrew the hosts of corruption in New York.

Yours respectfully,
J. B. IRVINE, JR.
No. 813 Lake street.

"If you ain't got nuffin' wuf said Uncle Eben, "keep nuffin' an' let folks 'magine you has on yoh mind dat you ain't got talk."—[Washington Star.

St. John's Bazaar.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, December 3, 4 and 5.

The women of St. John's Church will their eleventh annual bazaar in [illegible] Hall, corner Adams and Figueroa above dates. Bazaar opens each day at and closes at 10 p.m. A large and sortment of useful and fancy articles to-date art work, suitable for the holidays. Every endeavor will be made value and satisfaction to patrons free. Hot dinner each evening from 5 o'clock for 25 cents; last evening, ner, 35 cents. The annual luncheon St. John's Church have attained a success and excellence unsurpassed Refreshments each afternoon and reasonable prices.

Thanksgiving Day services at St. Church (Episcopal,) corner Adams and ros streets, will be: Celebration of the Eucharist, 7:30 a.m.; choral morning with sermon by the rector, 10:30 a.m.; "The Hand of God in the History of tion." Strangers cordially invited. Grand-avenue cars to Adams street. large vested choir. Rev. R. W. rector.

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Not a Selfish, Ill-tem Woman, but Devoted Good Works.

Mme. Calvé is making the her short stay in Pasadena. basking in the sunshine and and resting, preparatory to appe in San Francisco. She is doing b most to get in trim physically mentally so that she may do justice when she next appears a men. It speaks volumes for the and devotion to art of this that she risked the exhausting across the continent in her health. She was very ill when gang here—a nervous and wreck—and however hardly she have consented to appear if it of her to consent at all. Her position was called bronchitis that name to satisfy people prevent the real malady from being announced.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Los Angeles Ebell.

Yesterday was report day for the literature section of the Ebell Society. Mrs. Williamson Dunn, curator of the section, gave an account of the work so far accomplished, this year, and Rev. Eliza Tupper Wilkes addressed the club on Emerson. The address consisted in large part of personal recollections and impressions of the Concord philosopher. She characterized him as one whom heredity and training had combined to make a member of "that truest American aristocracy, the aristocracy of brains." She described the plain living and high thinking of his youthful environment, and the quiet heroism with which he unquestioningly resigned because of religious scruples, the position of honor he had obtained after long struggles with poverty, as pastor of an influential church. "But that which is to me the keynote of Emerson's character," she said, "is his entire sincerity. I believe, my friends, that if you and I were to rise tomorrow to speak the truth as we see it, as Emerson did, the world would take a leap forward fifty years. He taught men to trust themselves, to seek the truth within themselves, and to find there the voice of God."

A short business meeting followed the above programme. The expenses of the coming biennial were discussed, and the club members present came forward very readily to contribute their share. Upward of $600 falls to the Ebell as its portion of the fund to be raised.

Redlands Contemporary.

The Redlands Contemporary Club met yesterday afternoon in its new quarters. A large number of the members attended, and great interest was taken at "The Round Table," in the discussion of "The Right of Way," Gilbert Parker's latest book. This meeting was under the direction of the vice-president, Mrs. Daniel Shepard. Twelve circles were made and twelve ladies at each circle, selected as leaders, and as each member entered she drew for the table or circle at which she must sit. That "no two persons ever read the same book or saw the same picture" was fully realized from the many expressions of opinion.

RAN OFF WITH HIS WHEEL.

W. S. Holland Loses His Bicycle While Trying to Care for a Runaway Horse.

The next time W. S. Holland finds a runaway horse in distress he will hesitate before giving it assistance. As a result of his effort to prevent a horse being killed by a train he will have to purchase a new bicycle. He was en route to his home at Vernon and Central avenues yesterday morning, and at the Central-avenue crossing of the Southern Pacific Railroad he found a horse, which had evidently run away, with one of its hoofs fast in the guard rail. Holland saw at once that the horse would be killed by the first train which came along, and decided to release the animal and drive it to some place where its owner could find it. With much difficulty he withdrew its hoof and then started to place his bicycle in the buggy to which the horse was hitched. In doing so he made some noise, and the horse again ran away, carrying his bicycle with it. Several hours later the wheel was found where it had been thrown from the buggy, but the horse and rig have not yet been recovered. The bicycle was ruined.

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE—IN THE OFFICES AND COURTS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

At yesterday's session the Council passed an ordinance changing the gas limits and leaving the Suburban Gas Company on the outside. The company asserts vested rights and will contest any attempt to drive it from the field.

A new license ordinance was passed by the Council yesterday in which almost every kind of business receives some attention. Even automobiles are taxed.

The Huntington-Hellman syndicate yesterday applied for franchises that, if granted, will practically gridiron the city.

The Health Board was authorized yesterday to appoint a fruit and vegetable inspector.

The Park Commission yesterday dropped ten men from the pay roll.

Embezzled funds are supposed to have been discovered in a Los Angeles bank and suit was brought yesterday to recover. Zeefo & Co. of Russia are the plaintiffs. They charge their chief clerk with absconding last March with $12,500, of which amount over $4000 is supposed to be in the State Bank and Trust Company of this city.

The trial of John Heinrichs for pickpocketing began yesterday, but it is thought that he will plead guilty tomorrow.

The police are arresting spiritualistic mediums who ply their calling without a license, and the mediums are appealing to the Superior Court for exemption on the ground that they are "ministers."

The case against M. Greenewald for selling lottery tickets was dismissed yesterday.

AT THE CITY HALL.

GASEOUS OUTPOURINGS BREAKS COUNCIL CABAL.

ORDINANCE PASSED RESTRICTING GAS-PLANT TERRITORY.

Suburban Gas Company's Location in the Eighth Ward Cut from the District by a Close Vote—Long Debate Ends in Possible Victory for Eighth Warders.

Somewhere in the environs of the city, bolting madly through the brush, is the phantom of the "solid six." It ran amuck of the gas question yesterday, and the smell of that odoriferous issue did the rest.

This consummation was reached yesterday when the Council, by a vote of five to four, passed an ordinance eliminating a section of the Eighth Ward from the territory within which it is lawful to construct gas plants. The ordinance was bitterly fought, because it affects the location chosen by the Suburban Gas Company for their plant, and upon which they have already done considerable work.

Many finely-drawn points were involved in the controversy. Some time ago the Suburban Gas Company obtained from the building superintendent a permit to build coke ovens on the site at No. 1661 St. John street. At once the company went to work, and part of the foundation for the coking plant is already laid. Last Friday the Fire Commission, by a vote of three to one, granted to the company, in the name of Caroline W. Dobbins, a permit to erect a gasworks on the property. Subsequently Commissioner Kuhrts changed his vote from "no" to "yes" in order that he might give notice of a reconsideration at the next meeting of the Fire Commission. Holding that the notice to reconsider kept the matter in abeyance, he refused, as temporary chairman, to sign the written permit.

Taking counsel from several lawyers, the Suburban company decided to begin work at once. The legal advisers of the company declared that no written permit is required, as such an instrument is not mentioned in the ordinance, and that the notice to reconsider is without effect. Accordingly the company let several contracts for material, part of which is on the ground, and closed a contract with a Chicago firm for a large storage holder. The holder, which will cost $15,000, is now on the way from the East, and is expected to arrive here at an early day.

Like a bolt out of a clear sky came the news yesterday morning that the Council would pass an ordinance which would oblige the company to relinquish the property which it has purchased, and suffer severe loss on its contracts. As the company is acting under an affidavit that it will sell gas for illuminating purposes only, it claims to be well within the constitutional provision that gives to a company the right to use the streets, under general regulations, for furnishing illumination.

The Council, however, is convinced that the company's affidavit amounts to nothing, and that, once the pipes have been laid in the streets, the company will do a general business. As a franchise for such a concession is valuable, a number of the Councilmen were won over to the support of the ordinance presented by Councilman Todd yesterday. Todd, on his part, it is understood, has agreed to forsake his allegiance to the "solid six," while Blanchard is credited by the opposition with playing the star role in securing the adoption of the ordinance yesterday.

The ordinance changes the north limits of the district so that the line follows Redondo street and Alhambra avenue from Main street to the river. The change cuts about six blocks from the north end of the territory which was established by the Council some months ago. Those who favored the ordinance were Blanchard, Todd, Allen, Bowen, Powers; those opposed to it were Pierce, Walker, Lauder, McLain.

Because the Committee on Legislation, of which Bowen and Blanchard are members, refused some time ago to make any change in the limits and stoutly asserted that the whole matter was in the hands of the Fire Commission, the action taken yesterday was the more surprising. Councilman Todd went before the committee with a large number of protestants from the Eighth Ward and tried to have the district cut off at Sotello street, a less radical change than that made yesterday. A stony heart and a deaf ear were then turned to his appeals, but yesterday the case was different.

There is a wide divergence of opinion regarding the effect of the ordinance. City Attorney Mathews yesterday informed the Council that if the permit is held to have been finally granted by the fire board and the company has secured vested rights on the ground, the ordinance will be of no effect as regards the proceedings of the Suburban company. Attorney Lyan Heim of the gas company holds that the permit was granted and that the company has secured the vested rights. Before the company will admit the efficacy of the ordinance, as applied to their plant, there will be a test of the matter in court.

Now the whole proposition has reached Mayor Snyder just on his return from San Francisco, and there seems no reason to doubt that he will sign the ordinance. Whether he will sign the permit or not is a question upon which he would vouchsafe no answer yesterday.

In the Council the matter was taken up the first thing in the morning, and Councilman Todd presented his ordinance. As there were but five votes for the measure and it takes six to carry an ordinance under suspension of the rules, it was referred to the Committee on Legislation to report at the afternoon session. The rules provide that printed copies must be in the hands of the members if an ordinance is passed at the same meeting at which it is presented, and during the noon recess Councilman Todd rushed out and secured printed copies, which were formally served on the members of the Council.

There was a lot of argument when the measure came up for consideration in the afternoon. Todd didn't want any of his constituents to think that he had not done everything possible for them, he said. Pierce said he did not want the question reopened until some better reason than assistance to a company having a monopoly was presented. Walker had a grave doubt whether the Council had the right to pass any such ordinance. Lauder called attention to the fact that he had not signed the report of the Committee on Legislation, because the committee had once before refused to grant a similar request and had left the matter in the hands of the fire board. Attorney Heim explained the position of the Suburban company and City Attorney Mathews expounded the law.

Pierce accused the exponents of the ordinance of rushing the measure at a critical time for the purpose of crippling a company that had complied with every regulation established by the Council and the fire board.

Allen complained that the company would get into the streets and steal them from the people if some such ordinance was not passed. Then Bowen wielded the oratorical harpoon for a few minutes.

"If I had understood the conditions when the matter was presented before I should have voted differently," he declared. "When a corporation gets its hand on the city's throat it forgets the 'dear people,' and I do not propose that any company shall acquire valuable rights in the streets without paying for a franchise."

After scoring the electrical "combine" and declaring that he will soon present an ordinance making it necessary for companies to deposit a big bond before tearing up the streets, Bowen went for the Equitable company. He told how one of the officials of that corporation had come to get his assistance in getting a foothold in the city without a franchise.

"I told him, as I tell you," declared the irate member, "that the company never would get in here without a franchise if I could help it. If the company would apply for a franchise I agreed to see that it was offered for sale within the week."

After much more oratory that consumed the better part of the afternoon, a vote was reached and the ordinance was passed.

Subsequently on a proposition involving the taxation of fruit men, Blanchard and Todd voted with the anti-market minority, which is considered very significant by the four other members of the "solid six," who were routed yesterday horse, foot and dragoons.

ELECTRIC ROADS.

VALUABLE FRANCHISES ASKED.

As the result of four weeks' careful work on the part of Henry E. Huntington, of the Huntington-Hellman syndicate, three applications for franchises were presented to the City Council yesterday and referred to the Board of Public Works. The routes indicated in the applications cover most of the available streets in the city that are not already equipped with car tracks.

If all the roads are built as proposed the city fairly will be gridironed with belts of steel.

The Pacific Electric Railway Company, which is controlled by the same men that control the stock in the Los Angeles Railway Company asks for connecting links for its suburban roads. The company proposes to build lines to Monrovia, Whittier, Santa Ana and Long Beach, and desires independent lines to the center of the city.

"It is the purpose of the company," said Attorney William E. Dunn yesterday, "to secure such connecting links within the city as will enable the suburban lines to discharge passengers directly at the principal railway depots and to transfer passengers from one line to another.

"The Pacific Electric Railway Company and the Los Angeles Railway Company are not identical by any manner of means, although the same men own the controlling interest in both companies. When the roads have been completed the company hopes to have as perfect an electric railway service as is to be found anywhere."

In addition to the connecting links for the suburban lines, the Pacific Electric Railway Company desires a short connecting link between the Temple Street Cable Railway property which it now owns, and the belt line in the Second Ward, upon which active construction work has begun.

The third petition for a franchise is presented by the Los Angeles Railway Company and the routes described cover those sections of the city where Henry Huntington believes there is such need for a street car line that it will pay to build one. At least such was the statement made yesterday. Mr. Huntington has given careful consideration to every detail, and the petition is the result. It is noted that the proposed routes parallel the Traction lines in some instances for many blocks.

Henry E. Huntington will leave Los Angeles today for San Francisco, and thence to New York to meet members of his family who are now returning from Europe. He expects to return to this city in about a month.

The first franchise application, naming the routes meant to connect with the suburban lines, is as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Main and Seventh streets; thence westerly on Seventh street to Spring street; thence northerly on Spring street to Fourth street; thence westerly on Fourth street to Broadway; thence southerly on Broadway to Ninth street; thence easterly on Ninth street to Main street; thence northerly on Main street to Seventh street; thence easterly on Seventh street to Santa Fé avenue; thence northerly on Santa Fé avenue to Willow street; thence westerly on Willow street to Mateo street; thence northerly on Mateo street to Palmetto street; thence northerly over private right of way to the intersection of Fourth street and Santa Fé avenue; thence northerly on Santa Fé avenue to Third street.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Seventh street and Ceres avenue; thence northerly on Ceres avenue to its intersection with Central avenue; thence northerly on Central avenue to Fifth street; thence easterly on Fifth street to its intersection with the property of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Seventh and Los Angeles streets; thence northerly on Los Angeles street to Fourth street; thence easterly on Fourth street to San Pedro street; thence northerly on San Pedro street to First street; thence westerly on First street to Broadway.

Also, beginning at the intersection of First and Main streets; thence northerly on Main street to its intersection with Spring street; thence southerly on Spring street to First street.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Seventh and Los Angeles streets; thence southerly on Los Angeles street to Washington street; thence easterly on Washington street to Compton avenue; thence southerly on Compton avenue to Twenty-third street; thence southerly on Compton avenue or over private right of way to Thirty-eighth street; thence easterly on Thirty-eighth street to Compton avenue; thence southerly on Compton avenue to the south limits of the city of Los Angeles.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Seventh street and Central avenue; thence southerly on Central avenue to Eighth street; thence easterly on Eighth street to Tennessee street; thence southerly on Tennessee to Little Rock avenue; thence southerly on Tennessee street or over private right of way to Sixteenth street; thence easterly on Sixteenth street to Compton avenue; thence southerly on Compton avenue to Washington street.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Eighth and Los Angeles streets; thence easterly on Eighth street to Santee street; thence southerly on Santee street to Washington street.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Seventh street and Santa Fé avenue; thence southerly on Santa Fé avenue to Ninth street; thence easterly on Ninth street to Hostetter street; thence easterly on Park avenue to Rosalind street.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Vernon avenue with the east limits of the city of Los Angeles; thence westerly on Vernon avenue with the east limits of the city of Los Angeles.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Western avenue with the south limits of the city of Los Angeles; thence northerly on Western avenue to the north boundary of the city of Los Angeles.

The route to connect the Temple-street and belt lines begins at the intersection of Temple street and Edgeware road and runs northerly on Edgeware road to Bellevue avenue.

In the application filed by the Los Angeles Railway Company for the purpose of extending its lines in the south and west, the following routes are described:

Beginning at the intersection of Sixth and Figueroa streets; thence northerly on Figueroa street to Fifth street; thence westerly on Fifth street to Fremont avenue; thence northerly on Fremont avenue to Fifth street; thence westerly on Fifth street to Boylston street; thence southerly on Boylston street to Fifth street; thence westerly on Fifth street to Bixel street; thence southerly on Bixel street to Sixth street; thence westerly on Sixth street to Rampart street; thence southerly on Rampart street to Hoover street; thence southerly on Hoover street to Twenty-fifth street.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Hoover and Alvarado streets; thence northerly on Alvarado street to Seventh street.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Ninth and Hoover streets; thence easterly on Ninth street to Grand View street.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Hoover and Carondelet streets; thence northerly on Carondelet street to Ninth street.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Tenth and Flower streets; thence westerly on Tenth street to Figueroa street; thence southerly on Figueroa street to Tenth street; thence westerly on Tenth street to Overton street; thence southerly on Overton street to Eleventh street; thence westerly on Eleventh street to Hoover street.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Sixth and Olive streets; thence southerly on Olive street to Pico street; thence westerly on Pico to Georgia street; thence southerly on Georgia street to Sixteenth street; thence westerly on Sixteenth street to Cherry street; thence southerly on Cherry street to Seventeenth street; or from Sixteenth and Georgia streets southerly on Georgia street to Seventeenth street, and westerly on Seventeenth street to Cherry street; thence westerly on Seventeenth street to Bush street; thence southerly on Bush street to Hoover street.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Twenty-second and Hoover streets; thence westerly on Twenty-second street to Vermont avenue; thence southerly on Vermont avenue to Twenty-fourth street; thence westerly on Twenty-fourth street to Leoti avenue; thence southerly on Leoti avenue to Twenty-fifth street; thence westerly on Twenty-fifth street and over private right of way to Western avenue; thence northerly on Western avenue to Twenty-fourth street; thence westerly on Twenty-fourth street to the west limits of the city of Los Angeles.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Leoti avenue and Washington street; thence south on Leoti avenue to Twenty-fourth street.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Twenty-second street and Leoti avenue; thence westerly on Twenty-second street and over private right of way to the west limits of the city of Los Angeles.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Washington street and Bonita avenue; thence westerly on Washington street to the west limits of the city of Los Angeles.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Washington and Figueroa streets; thence southerly on Figueroa street to Santa Monica avenue.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Washington and San Pedro streets; thence westerly on Washington street to Flower street.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Fifth street and Central avenue; thence easterly on Fifth street to the westerly line of the property of the Southern Pacific Company.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Ruth avenue and Fifth street; thence southerly on Ruth avenue to Seventh street; thence southerly on Ruth avenue and over private right of way to Eighth street; or easterly on Seventh street to Gladys avenue; southerly on Gladys avenue to Eighth street, and westerly on Eighth street to Stanford avenue; thence southerly on Stanford avenue to Fourteenth street; thence easterly on Fourteenth street to Griffith avenue; thence southerly on Griffith avenue to Thirtieth street.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Western avenue and Washington street; thence southerly on Western avenue to Twenty-second street.

FRUIT INSPECTOR.

COUNCIL'S MISCELLANY

Within a short time the city will have a fruit and vegetable inspector, who can devote his entire time to the work. Yesterday the Council passed an ordinance granting to the Board of Health the right to appoint an inspector of fruit and vegetables, at a salary of $80 per month. It is understood that Inspector R. E. Drummond, who has been working for the County Board of Horticultural Commissioners, is in line for the position, which will pay a better salary than is paid by the county board. Drummond has done much work for the city in the past without pay, and is highly thought of by the health authorities.

Plumbing Inspector A. A. Bennett yesterday was authorized to appoint a deputy plumbing inspector, with a salary of $100 per month. The rapid growth of the city has made it absolutely impossible for the plumbing inspector to keep up with the work.

To the Finance Committee was referred the request of the Street Superintendent for the retention of the extra force of forty-five laborers and twenty teams for at least a month longer. The Street Superintendent also called attention to the condition of the pavement on Broadway, and recommended that proceedings be begun to repave the street between Second and Fourth streets. Several of the Councilmen are opposed to making any more repairs to the surface of the street until a new pavement is laid. Superintendent McGuire also asks that Sixth street, between Hill street and Broadway, be repaved. The requests were referred to the Board of Public Works.

On recommendation of the City Engineer, the Council ordered the construction of a system of gutters to drain that district of the city bounded by Griffith avenue, Sixteenth, Essex and Washington streets. A cement gutter will be built on the north side of Washington street, from Griffith avenue 200 feet west, under the provisions of the Vrooman Bond Act.

An ordinance of intention to pave Broadway, from Seventh to Main street, was passed.

No written charges have been preferred with the Council against Street Superintendent McGuire, and when the matter came up yesterday Mr. Pierce moved that action be postponed one week. If there are no charges on file at that time, it is the intention of the Council to dismiss the matter without further notice.

Another hearing will be given by the Board of Public Works next Friday afternoon to the parties interested in the proposed improvement of Grand avenue south of Jefferson street.

PARK FORCE CUT.

SYSTEM OF RETRENCHMENT.

The Park Commissioners laid about them with the retrenchment ax yesterday, and as a result ten heads now repose in the board's basket. The change promulgated by the commission will result in a saving of $500 a month in wages. A part of this sum can be applied to substantial improvements and still keep the department within the allowance made in the budget.

It was stated by the members of the commission that some of the men dismissed are good workmen, and that they are dropped from the pay roll purely for financial reasons, and not because of any lack of fitness. The list is as follows: F. J. Williams, foreman, Prospect Park; H. Starr, L. Zilick, A. J. Saner, J. Peyronnel, C. H. McNelly, H. J. Hutchinson, N. H. Mullin, W. G. Scott and G. Miles.

By the action taken yesterday the Superintendent is instructed to use no greater number of men than will be employed in the parks after the dismissal of the ten employés above named.

"This limit," says the report, "shall be maintained until the board decides to increase the number of men employed. All appointments shall be made only on the recommendation of the Park Commissioners."

A petition was presented to the park board yesterday asking that a band be provided for Westlake Park. It was numerously signed by parties living in that vicinity.

In connection with this petition Dr. Dickson made a motion that it is designed to put an end to the dog-in-the-manger tactics that have been pursued by the Los Angeles Railway Company regarding Sunday music in the parks. Because of the policy of the company, music has been confined to Eastlake Park, which is reached only by the cars of the Los Angeles Railway. Dr. Dickson's motion provides that permits for band concerts shall be issued in rotation to Eastlake, Westlake, Hollenbeck and Central Parks. If there is but one band to play, it must, upon successive Sundays, play in each of the parks named. If there is more than one band, the secretary is allowed to use his discretion about issuing the extra permit.

"I believe that all the citizens of the city should benefit by the music in the parks," declared the commissioner yesterday. "It seems to me that the citizens are entitled to some consideration in this matter, as well as the street railway companies.

Other commissioners expressed similar sentiments, and the motion was carried unanimously.

LICENSE LAW.

MANY IMPORTANT CHANGES.

In accordance with the request of Councilman Pierce, the special committee appointed to revise the license ordinance presented a report yesterday. The ordinance covered about twenty type-written sheets of paper, and Clerk Haskins uttered a fervid "Amen" when he finally finished reading the document. After a few alterations and revisions, the ordinance was adopted. It will be of paramount interest to merchants, business men, and even to the owners of automobiles.

Many changes are made from the old schedule, and there are a large number of additions. The following are some of the more important new license rates fixed in the ordinance:

Automobiles, $2 per month; astrologers, necromancers, etc., $10 per month; concert halls, $25 per month, or $2 per day; baseball games, where admission is charged, $10 per game; book agents, $2 per month; bowling alleys, $2.50 per alley a month; circus, $400 first day, $400 succeeding days; phonograph parlor, $50 per quarter; grocery solicitors, $50 per quarter; pumping oil well, $1 per month; theaters, $75 per month, raise from $25; retail cigar stand, $1 per month; wholesale cigar stand, $5 per month; billiard hall, $1 per month; tamale stand, $5 per month; ostrich farm, $5 per month.

Hotels will be obliged to pay according to the number of rooms, as follows: Over eighty rooms, $20 per month; over forty rooms, $10; over ten rooms, $1; less than ten roms, $1 per year.

Laundries were given a horizontal raise of $2.50 a month; money broker, $25 per month; real estate men, $3 per quarter; lumber yards, $15 per quarter; opium seller, $25 a month; oil refineries, $25 a quarter; pickling establishments, $5 a month; restaurants, $5 a month; soda fountains, business of $150 month, taxed $5 a month; less business, $1 per month; land company, $5 a month; slaughtering house, $25 a month; carpet-cleaning establishment, $15 per quarter; warehouse, $5 a month; tally-ho, $10 a year; abstract company, $10 a month; telephone company, $150 a month; district messenger service, $5 a month; distilled water, $2 a month; wood and coal yard, $1 a month; ice wagons, $2.50 a month.

Over taxing fruit stands $1 a month there was a lively debate. Pierce wanted the ordinance changed to read "dealer." Allen assured him that the term covered too much ground. Walker offered an amendment, which was lost, and the provision as drafted carried, with the votes of Blanchard and Todd, through a defection from the "solid six" that is solid no longer.

Curing meat will be taxed $25 a month; winery $7.50 a month, brickyard, $15 a quarter.

Walker succeeded in getting an amendment passed providing for a graduated license on gas and electrical companies as follows: Receipts $3000, tax $150 a month; receipts over $2000, $100 a month; receipts over $1000, $50 a month; less than $1000, $15 a month.

A general provision was inserted in the ordinance charging every person who has no regular place of business and sells direct to consumers $50 per quarter. This provision was inserted at the request of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, which wants to get even with the Pasadena Council for shutting out Los Angeles grocery men.

Public markets are licensed at $25 a month.

The measure is described as one of expediency to replenish the deficiency in the city treasury.

Secretary Zeehandelaar of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association is said to indorse the ordinance.

Councilman McLain alone voted against it.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

RUSSIAN MONEY IN LOS ANGELES BANK.

SAID TO HAVE BEEN DEPOSITED BY ALLEGED ABSCONDER.

Zeefo & Co. of Russia Begin Suit in This County Against One Grin and the State Bank and Trust Company to Recover a Large Sum.

Suit was begun yesterday by E. L. Zeefo & Co. of Rostov-on-the-Don, in the empire of Russia, through their attorneys, Messrs. Platt & Bayne of San Francisco, to recover $4657 alleged to have been embezzled on March 6, 1901, by Simon Ivanov Grin, who is said to have come to America subsequently, with an abundant supply of aliases. The defendant in the action, besides Grin, is the State Bank and Trust Company of Los Angeles. A temporary injunction has been issued against the bank, pending adjudication of title to the funds. On September 28, it is alleged, Grin assumed the name of Valentine Semaska, and deposited with the bank $4657 as a term deposit at 4 per cent.—of course not subject to check.

According to the complaint Grin is an absconder.

For a long time prior to March, Grin, it is alleged, was a clerk for Zeefo & Co., and on March 6 as such clerk was entrusted with 25,000 roubles ($12,500) for delivery to the administration of the Vladikavkas Railroad, subject to the order of one Sarsenti. But, says the complaint, Grin wholly failed of his trust, and absconded and fraudulently appropriated the money to his own use. This was in September that Valentine Semaska, deposited $4657 with the State Bank and Trust Company, and now the claim is made that this money was a portion of the $12,500 that disappeared from Russia in March, and that Semaska is none other than Grin. Messrs. Graves, O'Melveny & Shankland of this city are associate counsel in the suit filed yesterday.

MAY PLEAD GUILTY.

PRESIDENTIAL PICKPOCKET.

John Heinrichs, the notorious pickpocket, who was arrested on May 9, while plying his deft fingers in the pockets of the Presidential party at the Soldiers' Home, is thinking about pleading guilty. He hopes to have his mind made up by tomorrow morning. Two charges are pending against him, and, if he pleads guilty, he will demand that one case be dismissed.

Heinrichs is known the country over for his light touch.

The Soldiers' Home cases are strong against him. It will be remembered that he robbed Secretary Gage and Secretary Wilson, but these dignitaries could not tarry to become prosecuting witnesses. Consequently other offenses were made the means of getting Heinrichs inside a penitentiary. He is alleged to have robbed one G. B. Corwin of property valued at $10, and one S. Gage, a cook, of an oyster soup receipt and money aggregating $20.

The defendant was not prepared to plead yesterday, and a jury was empaneled to try the Corwin case. As soon as the jury had been selected, a continuance was taken until tomorrow morning to give Heinrichs further opportunity to conclude to plead guilty. The jurors comprise Dwight Crum, W. R. Hasson, George Barnes, G. W. Fetterman, U. M. Barron, R. A. Pollock, David H. Imler, J. E. Butler, E. W. Keller, W. E. Reaves, David W. Davis and J. H. McManus. Messrs. Rogers and Brown are conducting the defense.

INCORPORATIONS.

WATER, LOANS AND MINES.

The Salinas Water, Light and Power Company, with principal place of business in Los Angeles, incorporated yesterday with a capital stock of $200,000, fully subscribed. The directors are O. Z. Hubbell, $63,300, Ontario; John M. Gardiner, R. C. P. Smith, $63,300 each, F. J. Whiffen, $10,000; C. W. Allen, $100, all of Los Angeles.

The Mutual Loan and Investment Company, with principal place of business in Los Angeles, incorporated yesterday with a capital stock of $25,000, divided into $1 shares, of which amount $5 has been subscribed. The directors are George Pearson, Ernst C. Laux, Mary L. Pearson, Carl Laux and Frank B. Owens, all of this city.

The Palo Verde Mining Company, with principal place of business in Los Angeles, incorporated yesterday with a capital stock of $25,000, divided into $1 shares, of which amount $25 has been subscribed. The directors are J. Y. McClintock, Joseph G. Easton, Frank L. Hawley, Louis A. Pratt and F. L. Forrester, all of this city.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

IS HE INSANE? Alfredo Gallardo, a dope fiend, who bears a horse's track on his forehead from a kick in his fourteenth year, was before Judge Smith yesterday. He is charged with petty larceny after a prior conviction of petty larceny. The neighbors say Alfredo is crazy. A jury will decide December 14. "At any rate," says Judge Smith, "the defendant has a wonderful proclivity for picking up things that don't belong to him."

UNDER THE FLAG. Julius Bleich, a native of Germany, was naturalized by Judge Trask yesterday.

WILLIE IN LUCK. That isn't the only thing that can be said of Willie, whose surname is Childs—Willie Childs—a good-looking young man just of age, who has heretofore been charged with petty larceny after a prior conviction of a similar offense. Willie is also in the County Jail—and will stay there six months. He pleaded guilty to plain petty larceny yesterday to esape State's prison, and Judge Smith sentenced him. Childs stole a lot of merchandise on September 7 from C. W. Baker of No. 2432 South Figueroa street. The stuff was valued at $5.

EVIDENCE INSUFFICIENT. The deadly-weapon assault cases against George Bonner and against Charles Graham and I. Wassell were dismissed by Judge Smith yesterday, on motion of the District Attorney. Defendants were held to answer in the Police Court, but the evidence against them was so insufficient that no informations were filed.

DESERTED LONG AGO. Alvaretta Russell was granted a divorce from Charles D. Russell by Judge Trask yesterday. The ground was desertion. The parties were married twelve years ago, and for ten years Mrs. Russell has been a deserted wife.

SAFFORD ESTATE. George S. Safford asks for letters of administration in the $11,000 estate of his wife, Emma R. Safford, who died on October 16, 1897.

ALFREDO WINS. Alfredo Botiller was appointed guardian yesterday of the seven Botiller minors, who are heirs to a $10,000 estate. Botiller is a half-brother. Other relatives wished the appointment, but were disappointed.

BRADEN ESTATE. The will of Mrs. Adeline E. Braden, who died on November 18, in this city, was filed for probate yesterday in an estate valued at $68,000.

NEW BUILDING. The Supervisors have concluded to build a six-room cottage at the County Hospital for the use of the resident physician.

GREENBAUM'S KNEE. Abraham Greenbaum was before Judge Allen yesterday suing the Los Angeles County Improvement Company for $5000, alleged to be due for injuries received on his knee at the Chutes on February 22, 1900. The court has the case under advisement.

LOTS OF TURKEY. Supervisor Longden approved a requisition yesterday for 180 pounds of Thanksgiving turkey for the County Hospital.

FRAZER CASE. It is reported that the Governor will be urged to pardon John E. Frazer, who was recently sent to State's prison for two years, convicted of aiding in stealing crude oil from tanks belonging to William Dryden. A fire during the past few days has rendered Mrs. Frazer and her four children destitute. Influential persons argue that Frazer is not a vicious criminal, and, under the circumstances, should be at home caring for his suffering family.

NEW HOSPITAL. General ground plans for a new County Hospital, comprising ten buildings worth $200,000, will soon be asked for by the Supervisors. Competition among architects is to be invited. Initial advertisements will be completed within a week or ten days. No contracts will be awarded for several months. Necessary buildings will be erected from time to time as the county can afford them.

IN THE INFERIOR COURTS.

MEDIUMS WILL TEST THE LICENSE LAW.

THEY CLAIM THEY ARE REGULARLY ORDAINED MINISTERS.

Police Say They are Simply Fakers and Should Be Driven Out of Business for Obtaining Money Under False Pretenses—Jury Trial Demanded.

If the so-called mediums, clairvoyants, palmists and other such fakers desire to do business in this city they must comply with the law which requires them to take out a license. For nearly a month the police have been making a search for such of them as have no license, and as a result two have been fined and other cases are pending.

Two of these cases were to have been tried yesterday in the Police Court, but the defendants, "Dr." and Mrs. Chesebro, failed to appear. They were represented by counsel, however, and at the request of their attorney the cases were continued until December 12. Mrs. A. Moltke, another of those arrested, was not ready for trial and her case was set for December 13. She demanded a jury trial and will be accommodated.

It is possible that some of these cases may be carried to the Superior Court, for some of the defendants propose to enter a unique plea. They assert that they are ordained ministers, mediums or what not of the regular Spiritualist church, and that therefore they are not subject to license by the city. Thus they place themselves on a par with the ministers of any religious body; in fact, they claim that they are just as much ministers as are the well-known preachers of the city. They declare that before they will submit to payment of a license they will contest the ordinance in the higher courts. What view the lower court will take of this matter is not known, but the outlook for the spooky "ministers" is not very hopeful.

The police declare that most of these people are fakers pure and simple, and that they should not be licensed at all, but driven out of business, for the reason that they obtain money from their dupes by false pretenses.

COON TREED.

IN THE WALNUTS.

Henry Reid, a young colored boy who contemplated a tour over the hobo route, felt the harshness of fate yesterday.

Reid did not want to swing by his heels from the brake beams on foggy, cold nights, so he corrupted the brakeman, and they conspired against the Southern Pacific. The coon gave the brakeman 50 cents and the brakeman put him in a box car and agreed to forget it.

He did. He forgot it. That coon got his money's worth of forgetting the brakeman. The brakeman [illegible] remembered yet.

The conspiracy was [illegible] before last, and at about [illegible] the Sabbath the darky crawled [illegible] car with the walnuts. The [illegible] having got the 50 cents, [illegible] put the rest of the trainmen [illegible] the car was sealed after the [illegible] gone to sleep.

Yesterday morning the [illegible] heard a commotion unbecoming [illegible] cent walnuts, and opened the [illegible] the scared boy, who had been [illegible] fasting on walnuts with [illegible] long seige on walnut diet.

They held him until an officer [illegible] and the boy was taken to the [illegible] Station.

He was brought up before [illegible] Morgan yesterday afternoon [illegible] charge of vagrancy, but the [illegible] charged him.

Pellets.

C. J. Wheeler, the driver for [illegible] Bakery, who ran over William [illegible] at the Plaza last Saturday, was [illegible] $30 in Justice Austin's court [illegible]

Michael Riley, a street [illegible] sent to jail to do twenty days [illegible]

M. Greenwald, in whose [illegible] quantity of lottery tickets were [illegible] and who was fined heavily [illegible] ing the ordinance, was before [illegible] the Police Court again yesterday [illegible] police were going to make [illegible] charge out of some of the [illegible] that were found on the said [illegible] wald entered a plea of once [illegible] and the court ordered [illegible] against him dismissed.

Willie McKee, who stole a [illegible] brush from a stand on Main [illegible] was sentenced in the Police Court [illegible] February 22, 1900. The court has the case under advisement.

Nicholas Nelson, a farmer [illegible] killed, his son George, aged [illegible] fatally injured, and his wife [illegible] ously hurt in a runaway accident [illegible] miles west of Omaha yesterday [illegible]

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We do not sell [illegible] a particular brand [illegible] every observer can [illegible] at a glance is ready [illegible] clothing, but we [illegible] clothing that has [illegible] appearance and [illegible] the finest
Truth to tell, few [illegible] can produce effects [illegible] styles equal to [illegible] made for us by [illegible] artisans.
Smith & Ennis
147 SOUTH [illegible]

[illegible] Wheat
For Thanksgiving
You'll want such wines as [illegible] Jacott's—old, ripe, pure, [illegible] full flavored wines—wines [illegible] will add both pleasure and [illegible] somepess to the feast. Complete line, bottle or bulk. Low prices. Free delivery.
TEL MAIN 44

Dr. Lyon's
PERFECT
Tooth Powder
AN ELEGANT TOILET [illegible]
Used by people of refinement for over a quarter of a [illegible]

Pears'
No other soap in the world is used so much; or so little of it goes so far.
All sorts of people use Pears' soap, all sorts of stores sell it, especially druggists.

"Black Thibet [illegible]
To order—First class [illegible]
in every respect [illegible]
$25.00
BRAUER & KROHN, [illegible]
2 Stores 129-130 S. SPRING and 104½ S. MAIN

EIGHTY TONS OF TURKEYS

To Be Eaten Thursday in Los Angeles.

Market Likely to Take a Big Jump Tomorrow.

Experiment—Live Birds Sent Here from Kansas—The Cranberry.

Turkey and fixin's for the Thanksgiving dinner of Los Angeles will cost $25,000, most of which will be in addition to the regular weekly expenditure for provisions, although the absence of a somewhat meaty skeleton from each of several thousand kitchen tables will have its effect in keeping down the meat bill, and the torments of indigestion will cooperate with the physician in this cause.

From ten thousand to twelve thousand turkeys, it is estimated, will be required in supplying the demand this season, or, in the language of the market reporter, "from eighty to one hundred tons." For these turkeys the purchaser at retail will pay 20 or 22 cents per pound, dressed, and 16 to 18 cents per pound live weight. Dealers say that he was a wise man who purchased or at least engaged his bird at yesterday's market price, as they say the market is sure to rise today and tomorrow.

The demand was not so lively yesterday, and the prices were not as high as they will be when the dilatory housewife finally makes up her mind Wednesday that she wants a bird, and the telephone and personal orders pile up so fast on the dealer that he must needs raise his prices just to let people know that he's not going to be rushed for nothing.

It may surprise some people to learn that neither the territory adjacent to Los Angeles, nor even the entire State of California is able to supply the demand for turkeys, and that cranberries come a long way from the other side of the continent. In fact, if native resources were depended on for the Thanksgiving dinner it is probable that the national bird would be the Belgian hare, and instead of the little red berries from the marshes of Wisconsin and Cape Cod would be supplanted by the Juley but much-maligned prune.

IMPORTED TURKEYS.

So greatly does the demand for turkeys exceed the supply that probably four-fifths of the birds that will grace the tables on Thursday have been shipped in from the East, the remainder being supplied by ranchers roundabout. The principal point of shipment in the East is Kansas City, and from that point four or five carloads of dressed turkeys have been received for Thanksgiving week, which includes the Sundays immediately preceding and following the holiday. These birds are killed and dressed in Kansas or Missouri, and their carcasses neatly packed in boxes, are loaded at once into refrigerator cars, reaching here a week later, chilled through and in prime condition for the buyer.

A number of years ago Los Angeles obtained its turkey supply in the San Joaquin Valley, where the birds are raised in large numbers, but San Francisco now gets most of those gobblers, and the comparatively few that are raised in the south hardly make a showing as against the large number shipped in.

Some dealers prefer to handle the local birds, however, and do not buy from the large packing companies. Numbers of ranchers were seen on the street yesterday offering turkeys in lots ranging from half a dozen to forty, for which the dealers offered from 12½ to 15 cents.

One firm of commission merchants on Los Angeles street received 100 live turkeys by express Saturday from Kansas. They were fine birds and were sold down here at a cost about equal to that of local stock. The express charges were equal to the price paid for the turkeys. There was a falling-off of one-fifth in the weight of the birds from the time of their shipment to the hour of their arrival.

While some of the turkeys of lighter weight may be bought as low as $1 or $1.25, the average price probably will be $2, and some will run as high as $5.

For those who do not wish turkey, the market offers game in the form of wild ducks, geese, rabbits and doves, while the ever-popular chicken may be bought at from 50 cents to $1, according to size. One man yesterday ordered a green turtle with a view to having some savory soup, but it is only by accident that these testudinate creatures come into the market, ten which arrived last week from Lower California having been sold to restaurants at 6 to 8 cents per pound.

Turkey and cranberries, though being the principal place, are not the only dinner, and with these two exceptions California supplies her own needs and that of the rest of the United States. About three thousand barrels of cranberries come into the market each year from Cape Cod and a few from the Wisconsin marshes, and these are sold at 12½ and 15 cents per quart.

OTHER TIDBITS.

Among other good things which will appear on the table are peatland celery, white and crisp, which sells at 10 cents a bunch, and of which this year but a fraction of the 1600 cars raised annually from Orange county; navel oranges at 20 to 25 cents per dozen; grape fruit at 40 to 60 cents per dozen; new olives at 25 to 35 cents per quart; new walnuts at 12½ to 15 cents per pound. Cornichon and Tokay grapes at 15 cents per pound, new cluster raisins at 12½ to 15 cents per pound; fine sweet potatoes at 5 cents per pound; lettuce, watercress and endive for garniture to be had for the asking, and dozens of other things which the trained housewife will be able to purchase at little expense at the vegetable and fruit markets.

The Thanksgiving dinner hardly would be complete without a pumpkin pie, although the boxes and cans of prepared filling for that satisfying dessert are usurping the place of the big pumpkin, where which mother used to cut chunks and boil down with nutmeg and other good things, the old fashioned pie "punkin" may be had at prices ranging from 5 to 30 cents. Apples from Hawaii at from 50 cents to $1 each; bananas from the same place at 25 to 40 cents per dozen, and all kinds of apples at all kinds of prices supplement the stores of orchard and grapes.

The bakeries there are plum puddings, the real English variety, at 50 cents per pound; fruit cake as high as 75 cents per pound, and pumpkin and mince pies at from 10 to 25 cents each.

Altogether, Los Angeles sets a bill of fare of which she has no need to be ashamed.

THROWN FROM A CAR.

High Speed Around a Curve Causes Serious Injury to Mrs. Fitzpatrick at First and Chicago Streets.

Mrs. Mary Fitzpatrick, whose home is at No. 2334 Pennsylvania avenue, was the victim of a serious accident yesterday morning at 11 o'clock at First and Chicago streets, from the effects of which she will be compelled to spend the next two months in bed, even if she ever recovers. She boarded an electric car at First and Ficketi streets to come to the business center of the city, and took a seat in the forward end of the car on the outside. The conductor was performing the duties of the motorman, and when the car approached the sharp curve at Chicago street he let the speed of the car increase until it got beyond his control and it was impossible for him to reduce the speed at the curve. The car struck the curve and gave a violent lurch, when Mrs. Fitzpatrick was thrown violently to the street and rolled into the gutter.

She was picked up and carried to the office of Dr. Bacon. There it was found that she had sustained a double fracture of the right leg near the knee. A long gash was cut in her forehead, exposing the skull, and she received internal injuries which caused her to vomit a quantity of blood. Bresee Bros.' ambulance was summoned and the injured woman was conveyed to the California Hospital.

BULLA'S GOOD NEWS TO NORTHERN REPUBLICANS.

ANTI-MACHINE WORKERS GRATIFIED AT FLINT'S STRENGTH.

Opponents of Gage in the North Agree That Strong Man and Active Campaign Will Defeat Present State Administration.

Senator Robert N. Bulla, who has just returned from the anti-Chinese convention at San Francisco, says there was much comment on Gov. Gage's failure to attend that representative gathering, which was composed of fully eighteen hundred men, including some of the most influential citizens of the different parts of the State, and, while the Governor was not needed, it was thought strange that he could not have arranged for representation of the Executive Department in a cause which is looked upon as vital to the interests of the State.

Senator Bulla says the news of Senator Flint's strength in Southern California was a positive revelation to the Republicans of the north, and the anti-administration forces were agreeably surprised at the real weight of the opposition to Gage in his own territory. Members of the "push" have been busy in circulating the report at San Francisco that the Flint movement has no backing, but this report was controverted with ease by the exhibition of news notes from various Southern California papers telling of the warmth of the greeting extended to Senator Flint, and by the uncolored statements given by those who know the facts.

"The anti-administration forces were astonished when I told them that, if the convention were held at once, Senator Flint would have the support of 75 per cent. of the voters at the primaries, but they admit the strength of the showing we were able to make. A report was in circulation that Reuben H. Lloyd of San Francisco might be a candidate for the nomination against Gage, but I am in a position to state positively that Mr. Lloyd does not want the nomination.

"The disposition is to unite on a strong man at once, one who will represent the principles of the anti-machine element, and I believe the conviction is growing that Senator Flint is the man who best can crystallize the support of the opposition. I was assured that at least half the districts in Alameda county will be solid against Gage, and in San José there is no doubt that the gang will be defeated.

"Representatives from all parts of the State exhibited a strong interest in what is being done in Southern California, and those who came from the mining districts of Northern California seemed especially interested in the strong showing we are making for Flint."

While there is no likelihood that Flint headquarters will be opened in San Francisco at this time, it is probable that a representative anti-machine man in that city will be chosen soon to act as agent for the Flint forces and to keep in touch with the movement in all parts of the State, giving out such information as will help the cause along.

Senator Bulla thinks that strong, earnest work will be required to keep the Geary Exclusion Act and its amendments on the statute books of the country.

PERSONAL.

John J. Herman of Denver is a guest at the Van Nuys.

Hugo Sabbe of St. Louis, Mo., registered yesterday at the Natick.

D. C. Collier, Jr., a San Diego attorney, was in the city yesterday.

B. A. Evans of Vancouver, B. C., is among the Westminster guests.

J. W. Payne and wife of Meriden, Ct., are tourists registered at the Nadeau.

Among the arrivals at the Westminster is Lieut. D. C. Richard of New York.

Harry J. Edwards, connected with Stanford University, is staying at the Westminster.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Chalmers of Phoenix took apartments at the Van Nuys yesterday.

Frank L. Moore and W. S. Fletcher of New York are guests at the Van Nuys Broadway.

Mrs. W. Lindgren of Washington, D. C., is among the guests registered at the Hollenbeck yesterday.

Ernest G. Locke of Seattle came down from the north yesterday and registered at the Van Nuys.

F. H. Rindge and R. C. Gillis of Santa Monica, principals in the Rindge syndicate, were registered at the Westminster yesterday.

Two Wyoming couples registered at the Broadway Hotel are Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Meeks of Sundance.

Col. and Mrs. Dallas Bucher of Washington, D. C., arrived in the city on a pleasure tour yesterday, and registered at the Westminster.

At the Broadway Hotel Mrs. James Neel of Monongahela City, Pa., and Mrs. Cornelia K. Clarke of Pittsburgh, Pa., registered yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Lanning of St. Louis took apartments at the Van Nuys yesterday, and will visit points of interest in sunny Southern California.

Mrs. H. W. Brown of Worcester, Mass., and Mrs. J. H. Boardman of Providence, R. I., are together making a tour of the Coast. They took apartments yesterday at the Westminster.

W. S. Jones and Gilbert McElvern of Pittsburgh, Pa., arrived at the Van Nuys last night from Coronado. The two gentlemen are making an extended tour for pleasure, and if steamer arrangements look favorable, will next go to Honolulu.

DOCTOR ELY'S SOCIAL IDEA.

Great Lecturer Isn't Socialistic.

Competitive System is Supported.

The Single-Taxers and Anti-Monopolists Take the Professor to Task.

Dr. Richard T. Ely, professor of political economy and director of the School of Economy, Political Science and History at the University of Wisconsin, lectured last night before the Los Angeles Economic League at the Y.M.C.A. auditorium. His subject was "The Evolution of Industrial Society." About two hundred men and women, intent upon social betterment, listened to the lecture, which was as interesting as it was instructive and valuable.

Until 1891 Prof. Ely held the chair of political economy in Johns Hopkins University, but in that year he went to the University of Wisconsin. He is distinguished not only for his learning and writings on economic subjects, but also for the spirit he has infused into the science of political economy in this country and for the remarkable revival of popular interest in it. He is looked upon as a leader in America of the school of economists who have emphasized the social side of economic science.

KNOCKERS KNOCKED.

He is one of a few eminent apostles of the competitive system. He does not believe that socialism is the inevitable outgrowth of the present trust period with its monopolistic tendencies. Consequently last night the socialist, the single-taxer, the anti-monopolist, and other species of free thinkers—who attended the lecture in numbers—plied the professor with many queries in the open discussion, and for about a half-hour had him actively engaged in mental acrobatics.

FIRST VISIT HERE.

Prof. Ely is now making his first visit to the Pacific Coast. He arrived in Southern California on Friday, and will leave within a day or so for San Francisco and Oakland. During his stay in this part of the State he is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. W. Bent of Pasadena.

In appearance Prof. Ely is short of stature, rather heavy set and of imposing presence. His hair has turned quite gray with his forty-seven years, as has also his heavy mustache, contrasting a florid complexion. His voice is low and musical and his delivery chatty. He didn't seem to care a snap when the socialists lambasted him for his defense of competition. He was not dogmatic, however, and always admitted that questions were usually two-sided. Unlike many noted scholars, he is good to look upon and his clothes fit.

THE LECTURE.

Following are excerpts from his long lecture, "The Evolution of Industrial Society:"

"The first question which suggests itself is this: What do we mean by evolution? Perhaps some of you will recall the definition given by Herbert Spencer: 'Evolution,' he says, 'is a change from indefinite, incoherent homogeneity to a definite, coherent, heterogeneity, through continuous differentiation and integration.' Perhaps you will also recall the pertinent remark of a reviewer, that the universe may well have heaved a sigh of relief when, through the cerebration of an eminent thinker, it had been delivered of this account of itself.

"Herbert Spencer's formula is particularly helpful in recalling important points in the evolution of society. We have a change first from homogeneity to heterogeneity. But the homogeneity is only partially organized, its organism is incipient. It is indefinite and incoherent. Early society is little more than a mass of men, a mere mass. The individuals composing it have like occupations, like habits, like beliefs. In a few individuals we see all. But as society develops we notice a growth of differences; the higher the development, the greater the variety of individuals. Within society we have a vast, infinite number of groups, and within the groups individuality becomes more marked. A developed society looks like a chaos at first glance.

"We can hardly say of primitive men that they constitute a society, so imperfect are the ties binding them loosely together. They contain the beginnings of society. Society grows and develops and becomes more vital with every stage in social evolution.

"Social evolution means change. This is one of the most fundamental things which must be borne in mind. Change is society, in all parts of society, even including what we call the social order, itself, is a condition of life. There is no life without change; the alternative is death.

"Changes are sufficiently obvious to one who will contrast the United States of today with the United States of 1800.

"In the next place, we notice that the changes are ordered changes; they take place in accordance with social laws. There are difficulties in the way of seeing the changes, because, rapid as they are, they are usually slow when compared with the brevity of human life.

"It is still more difficult to see the laws in the changes than it is to see the changes themselves. When great periods are taken together, however, certain stages in development appear. Thus we pass over from the hunting and fishing stage to the pastoral stage, to the agricultural stage, to the trades and commerce stage, and to the industrial stage, and finally to the trust stage. When we consider the evolution of industrial society with respect to the exchange of goods, we observe the successive use of barter, money and credit, and we have three periods, characterized as the barter economy, or truck economy, if you will; the money economy and the credit economy.

"When we consider the evolution of labor we notice the transition from slavery to serfdom, to free contract, and from free individual contract to group contract, as manifested in collective bargaining.

"These words, characterizing various stages, refer to great periods, and within each of these a multitude of changes has taken place.

"Something else is to be noticed also, and that is that social movement is not in a straight line, but more like a curve. We come back to ancient institutions in modified and improved form. We have increasing cooperation and increasing dependence of man upon man. This increasing dependence is not burdensome, provided it is mutual. If it is one-sided dependence, it may become virtual slavery under the name of freedom. The multiplying relations of men with one another require regulation to preserve freedom. The regulation by the power of the state of these industrial and other social relations existing among men is a condition of freedom. Herbert Spencer, looking at the political regulation of economic relations, speaks of a coming slavery, but he overlooks the fact that with the increasing dependence of man upon man in modern society, this dependence becomes one-sided and results in virtual slavery, if these relations are not regulated.

"This is the explanation of the fact that every civilized nation in the world finds it necessary to regulate to an increasing extent, the industrial relations existing among men. Free contract alone; that is to say, unregulated, can only result in a degrading dependence of some men upon others, and consequently social degradation. On the other hand, through regulated association come freedom and individuality."

THE OIL INDUSTRY.

ONE MORE WORKER FOR ACTON FIELD.

NORTH AMERICAN COMPANY PUT UP DERRICK YESTERDAY.

Work on Union Refinery Now Under Way—Monte Cristo Will Erect Cement Reservoir for Storing Oil—Must Have More Tank Cars.

One more searcher after oily wealth has planted a derrick in the midst of the sagebrush of the new and promising Acton oil field. The latest addition is the North American Oil and Refining Company, which yesterday began the erection of an 80-foot derrick on section 17.

The North American is the fourth company that has begun the search for oil in that field in the past two months. The Consolidated Oil Company is the pioneer, and its rig now stands in the lower end of the district. Then came the Tejunga company and the White Badger, both of which have rigs in the central portion of the territory and are confident that their pioneer work will prove up the field.

The new well will be sunk 2000 feet from the Southern Pacific Railway tracks. The site for the hole was selected by O. H. Jones and C. J. Newcome, who spent the greater part of last week making an examination of the field. Yesterday General Manager Parker, Director Livingston and Expert Newcomb, all of this city, were on the ground to look after the placing of the derrick, which will be rigged up as soon as the heavy machinery can be hauled from the depot.

At present the Acton field is attracting more attention than any other prospect field in the State, and it is evident that before long it will be the scene of considerable development. Already there is talk of another operator. This is the Octonoma Oil and Development Company, which controls property on section 29.

Gov. Gage spent Sunday in the Acton field, inspecting several claims that he has there. He returned yesterday.

UNION REFINERY STARTED.

The Union Oil Company of this city is not losing any time in beginning work on its new refinery, which is to be erected on section 8, 29, 28, of the Kern River field. The company now has a gang of men and teams at work leveling off the ground for its loading racks, which are to be installed as soon as possible. The new plant is to be up to date in every particular, and when completed will be within reach of many of the large producers of that territory.

It is rumored that a hotel is to be built near the refinery site, and that it will cost in the neighborhood of $3000.

RESERVOIR FOR STORAGE.

More storage capacity is being provided by the Monte Cristo, one of the successful operators of the northern field. This company has thirty wells, eighteen of which are now on the beam, and, although it is now provided with storage to the amount of 20,000 barrels, this is entirely too limited to take care of the product of that property.

In order to meet the demand of the producing wells the company will double its present capacity, and has already ordered the erection of a 30,000-barrel cement reservoir. Work will be started at once, as it is the intention to provide additional storage as soon as possible.

WANT MORE TANK CARS.

There is much dissatisfaction among the oil producers of the northern fields because of their frequent inability to secure tank cars for the transportation of their product. There is no limit to the supply of oil ready for shipment, but the difficulty in securing the necessary number of cars to move the product at the right time is not at all satisfactory to the consumers.

The Pacific Oil Reporter says that a number of the largest consumers down at the bay are burning oil in less than half of their furnaces, coal still being used in the others. The new fuel has been given a thorough test and is pronounced not only economical but far more satisfactory. The balance of the furnaces will not be converted into oil burners until the permanency of the shipments are assured.

ON 'CHANGE.

REED CRUDE NOT STRONG.

Reed Crude was not strong on the local board yesterday, although 2500 shares were disposed of.

	Shares.	Price.
Reed Crude	2,500	$ .23½
Westlake	1,000	.03¾
Total	3,500	$90.00

Closing bids and offers were: Alpha, 12 cents asked; Aztec, $1 bid, $1.15 asked; Brea Cañon, $3.20 bid; Central, 65 cents bid, 75 asked; Central Point, $1.20; Columbia, 22½ cents bid, 25½ asked; Continental, 50 cents asked; Fullerton Consolidated, 42 cents bid; Fullerton oil, 5½ cents bid; Globe, 15 cents asked; Home of Fresno, $3.25 bid; Kern Oil, $5.37½ bid, $6 asked; Pacific Slope, 2½ cents asked; Senator, 80 cents asked; Southern Consolidated, 2 cents bid, 3½ asked; Union, $46 bid, $53 asked; Uncle Sam, 2¾ cents bid, 4 asked; United Petroleum, $103 asked; Western Union, $53 asked; Whittier Consolidated, 2¼ cents bid; Wilson, 6¼ cents bid, 10 asked.

For unlisted securities bids and offers were: Northern Consolidated, No. 2, 6 cents asked; Hercules, 11 cents bid, 13 asked; Piru, 17 cents asked; New Century, 1¼ cents asked; Argonaut, 20 cents asked; Pennsylvania, 35 cents cents asked; Southern California Oil and Fuel, 35 cents asked; Sunset Consolidated, 2½ cents asked; Sunset King, 1¾ cents asked; Imperial Consolidated, ½ cent asked; Golden West Crude, 4 cents asked; Sentinel, 2 cents asked; Russian, 7 cents asked; Menges, 93 cents asked; Hub, $1 asked; Mexican Petroleum, $25 bid, $40 asked; Green Mountain, 23 cents asked; Gold Coin, 11 cents asked.

For unlisted mining stocks offers were: Arizona Giant, 10 cents bid, 14¾ asked; Bisbee West, 16 cents bid, 20 asked; Butte Lode, $25 bid, $35 asked; South Bisbee Copper, 20 cents asked; Arizona and Arkansas Copper, Zinc and Lead, 7½ cents asked; Venture Hill, 13½ cents asked; Verde King, 15 cents bid, 29 asked; Red Cloud, 25 cents asked; Loma Verde, 33 cents asked.

KERN COMBINE.

DIRECTORS DENY RUMORS.

The directors of the proposed Kern county oil combine deny the stories circulated in Bakersfield as to enormous salaries to be paid the president and directors of the association or its manager. "No one is slated for manager," said W. S. Porter yesterday, "and no salary of $50,000 a year will be paid to any officer. The limit that has been suggested is $12,000 a year for the manager. The directors will not receive any pay at all."

The directors state that they have signed up 80 per cent. of the proven field of 5500 acres, not including Southern Pacific interests. They assert that the association will be perfected in due course of time. The lawyers now are examining the papers, the abstract company having passed on the titles. When the lawyers are satisfied the association will be fairly launched, the directors say.

The capitalization of the corporation will be $40,000,000, of which about $25,000,000 will be issued on the appraised holdings to stockholders, the balance being reserved as treasury stock to pay for future acquisitions. The directors say that they expect to boost the price of Kern oil at the field to 60 cents, and that they have not accepted as assets of any concern, in the appraisement, contracts for delivery at less than 22½ cents, although much Kern oil is now sold at 15 cents a barrel.

The promoters of the enterprise have worked patiently and are sanguine that they see daylight ahead for all concerned. They realize that they will have their hands full in competing with the Standard, but they believe that only a combination of interests can do it. "We have no quarrel with the Standard," said Mr. Porter yesterday, "but we see that it will be our most formidable rival. The rumor that we are hand-in-glove with it is preposterous."

It is probable that if the Standard builds a pipe line to San Francisco the combine will do likewise.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—At the morning session of the oil stock exchange sales were made at following figures:

Sterling	$1.25	Home Oil	$2.35
Sterling	1.20	Home Oil	2.40
No. 2	1.20	Petroleum	.06
Cal. Standard	.20	Apollo	.16
Peerless	.03½	Four Oil	.41
Home Oil	3.00	Reed	.31

Official closing figures were:

Cal. Standard	$ .20	Monarch	$ .50
Sterling	1.20	Oil City Petr.	.12

ANGELENO HEIGHTS

Improvement Association Decides Upon Temple-street Grade—Will Fight Encroachment by Santa Monica Line.

About seventy-five residents of the west end attended the meeting of the Angeleño Heights Improvement Association, held in Bethany Chapel last night, to discuss the proposed Temple-street cut.

It was unanimously voted to grade the street from Bunker Hill avenue to Fremont street, cutting off five feet from the summit and filling in six feet at Fremont street. Signatures representing 80,000 feet of frontage must be secured, to constitute a majority of the owners affected. Of this, 60,000 feet have already indorsed the petition. A committee of five was appointed to obtain the signatures for the remaining 20,000 feet.

Superintendent Randolph of the Los Angeles Electric Railway Company is ready to supply good cars and an efficient service as soon as these improvements are assured.

It was also voted to take measures to prevent the Santa Monica electric road from building the abutments of their viaduct, across the Lake Shore Boulevard, in such form as to block the sidewalk, at the intersection of that thoroughfare with Sunset Boulevard.

Martin C. Marsh presided. Mayor Snyder and ex-Councilman C. F. Guthridge were present and participated in the discussion.

MISSING BELL SEEN HERE.

Alexander K. Bell, whose disappearance from Portland was announced in a special dispatch in Sunday's Times, and whose friends are said to be much alarmed over his absence, was seen Friday in Los Angeles by Mrs. L. H. Lovejoy and her sister of No. 225 South Grand avenue. The ladies were walking along Spring street when Bell passed them, but he passed so quickly that they had no opportunity to speak to him, although they had known him well in Portland and in Cincinnati. Bell, it is said, was to be married Wednesday next to Miss Edna Cannon of Portland, and the fear has been expressed by her family that his absence was caused by illness. Mrs. Lovejoy does not know that Bell has any relatives in this city, and his name does not appear on the hotel registers.

The main building of the Bradley Fertilizer Works at North Weymouth, Mass., burned yesterday. The loss is $100,000.

FEMALE TROUBLES.

New York's Most Successful Specialist in Woman's Diseases Says: "Nearly Every Case of So-called Female Weakness and Painful Periods is Due to Kidney or Bladder Disease of Some Form."

If Any of Your Family in This or Past Generations Have Been Troubled with Kidney Disease Make a Test of Your Urine and Satisfy Yourself.

When you arise in the morning put some urine in a glass or bottle, let it stand for twenty-four hours: if there is a reddish sediment in the bottom of the glass, or if the urine is cloudy or milky, or if you see particles or germs floating about in it, your kidneys are diseased and you should lose no time, but get a bottle of Warner's Safe Cure, as it is dangerous to neglect your kidneys for even one day.

MISS LILLIAN RAMSEY.

Miss Lillian Ramsey, president of the Denver Quincy Club of Denver, Colo., says: "I was all run down, had no appetite, was troubled with indigestion, pains in my back and suffered untold misery during my monthly periods until I used Warner's Safe Cure. Thanks to it, I am now as strong and healthy as any woman could be. My mother suffered for over two years with what our doctor called 'weakness peculiar to women.' She had severe pains in her back and her head ached almost constantly; in fact, she was an invalid until the doctor prescribed Warner's Safe Cure. Three bottles made a permanent cure. She has no more of her old troubles and enjoys perfect health. All her complications were caused by diseases of the kidneys. Had my mother taken Warner's Safe Cure in the first place, instead of a lot of so-called cures for female weakness, she would have been saved a great deal of suffering. We will never be without a bottle of Warner's Safe Cure in the house, and if every poor, suffering woman knew the merits of Warner's Safe Cure, she might be restored to perfect health."

Miss Ramsey's experience is similar to that of thousands of women who have been cured by Warner's Safe Cure when all other remedies failed.

FREE—As evidence of their complete confidence in Warner's Safe Cure as an absolute cure for all diseases of the kidneys, bladder, liver and blood, the manufacturers, Warner's Safe Cure Co., Rochester, N. Y., will send any one who writes and mentions having seen this liberal offer in The Times a trial bottle of this valuable medicine absolutely free, postpaid, together with a medical booklet containing many convincing testimonials of wonderful cures. This is looked upon as a plain business proposition by the Warner Safe Cure Co., because they know that Warner's Safe Cure never fails to cure, and that the sufferer with kidney disease who uses a trial bottle will realize that its effect is beneficial, and will continue to use it until a cure is effected. All letters answered by regular practicing physicians and treated strictly confidential. You can get Warner's Safe Cure at any drug store. Regular size $1.00 a bottle; reduced from $1.25 a bottle. If your druggist does not have it, write Warner's Safe Cure Company, Rochester, N. Y. Ask for Warner's Safe Cure. Take no other.

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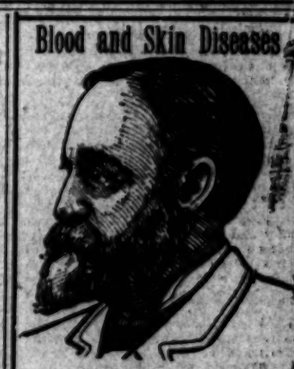
ADVERTISING AND UNITY.

Two Live Topics That Monopolized the Attention of the Ministerial Union in This City Yesterday.

The live subject of advertising was under discussion at the meeting of the Ministerial Union yesterday. It was introduced by Rev. Aquilla Webb, who believes in advertising church services, but he is desirous of having it done systematically, on each Saturday. The preachers fell in with his way of thinking, with great unanimity, and the result was the appointment of the following committee to take the matter in hand and report: Rev. A. Webb, Rev. William Horace Day, Rev. G. F. Bovard, Rev. J. L. Parks, Rev. C. C. Pierce.

Rev. F. M. Dowling of Pasadena was the speaker of the day, and he made an excellent talk on the subject of "Unity in the Kingdom of God." He thought the signs of the times indicated a great increase in unity of feeling among Christians. He quoted the many large union gatherings, the newspapers, and the readiness of Christian people to join in every movement for the public welfare, in support of his theory.

Blood and Skin Diseases



Positively Cured from 4 to 40 Days.

I HAVE secured the services and treatment of an old specialist of 30 years' experience in the treatment of all blood and skin diseases. Our Remedies are entirely new and contain no mercury or iodide of potash, and we positively cure Scrofula, Cancer, Indolent Ulcers, Eczema, Pimples, Catarrh, Rheumatism, Stricture, Piles, and all private diseases. A trial treatment free in any typical case. Office: 325½ SOUTH BROADWAY, over Weil & Chilson's drug store, rooms 310 to 312, hours from 9:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.; 7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. MELVIN E. DYKES, M. D.

PLANT
Garden and Flower Seeds and Set Out Shrubs. Plants and Bulbs this month. The rain has fixed things just right for you.
Our stock is largest and most reliable in the Southwest.
German Seed and Plant Co.,
326-330 S. MAIN ST. Tel. Main 966.
Get a Catalogue

Established 1868.
Williamson Bros.,
Sole Agents for Southern California.
327 S. Spring St.

The Equitable Gas and Electric Company
227 New High St.

Diamonds Watches, AND SILVERWARE.
S. CONRADI, Jeweler
325 S. Spring St.

Puritas Root Beer.
The kind that tastes good the year round. Phone Private Exchange 6 and let us send you a case.

Dr. C. C. Logan, oculist, has removed his office from Laughlin bldg. to 219 S. Spring street, with Los Angeles Optical Co.

STRONG TESTIMONY FROM PROMINENT HOSPITALS

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey Is Used Exclusively By Almost Every Prominent Hospital in the United States on Account of Its Absolute Purity and Excellence.

THE WORLD'S GREATEST MEDICINE

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey cures consumption, coughs, colds, grip, bronchitis, catarrh and all diseases of the throat and lungs. It also cures nervousness and indigestion. It gives power to the brain, strength and elasticity to the muscles, and richness to the blood. It is a promoter of good health and longevity, makes the old young, keeps the young strong.

It will cure almost any case of consumption if taken in time.

HARRISBURG HOSPITAL.
Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 22, 1900.
We have been using Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey in our institution for some time and find it agrees better than other brands in the convalescence of disease and in emergency work.
E. O. PEARSON, M. D., Resident Physician.
H. L. KAUCHER, M. D., Visiting Surgeon.

THE READING HOSPITAL.
Reading, Pa., Oct. 12, 1900.
We have used Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey in typhoid and other exhausting diseases and have found it eminently satisfactory. DR. JOSEPH CLOTHIER, Resident Physician.
Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey has stood severe tests for nearly 50 years, and has always been found absolutely pure and to contain great medicinal properties.

If you are sick and run down, write our Medical Department. It will cost you nothing to learn how to regain health, strength and vitality. Medical booklet sent free.

CAUTION!—Our patrons are cautioned against so-called DUFFY'S MALT WHISKEY, offered for sale in bulk, and in other than our Patent Bottle, with our name blown in same. DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY is sold in sealed bottles only. Offered in any other form it is not the genuine.

FREE To any reader of this paper who will write us we will send free two of our patent game counters for whist, euchre, etc. Send 4 cents in stamps to cover postage. They are unique and useful.

It is the only whiskey recognized by the Government as a Medicine. This is a guarantee. All druggists and grocers or direct, $1.00 a bottle.

DUFFY MALT WHISKEY CO., Rochester, N. Y.

SUSPICION RESTS ON THE NEIGHBOR.

Officers Think John Foster is Connected With the Murder of the Wilcox Family.

NEXT to the hapless members of the Wilcox family, whose lives went out a week and a half ago at the hands of a cold-blooded, mysterious, merciless murderer in the desolate ranch house near Downey, John Foster, the closest neighbor, appears to be the unluckiest person in the community.

This man, perhaps altogether unjustly, has in recent years been suspected, openly accused, and arrested for an alleged attempt to commit a heinous crime. Though acquitted, he was cursed and berated and kicked and almost driven away. People said he was crazy, neighbors locked their doors against him, and one told him he would kill him as he would a mad dog. How could a man be more unfortunate?

Whatever went wrong, whatever misdeed was committed, there appeared to be always someone to point the finger of suspicion at unlucky John Foster, and to this day his ill-luck clings about him, like a thing that cannot be shaken off.

Foster is now suspected by the officers in connection with the awful tragedy that wiped the Wilcox family from the face of the earth. Day and night he is kept under the surveillance of sharp eyes, and the sleuths who have been working on the case think his actions show that he has guilty knowledge concerning the murder of the father and mother and innocent child. What they claim to have is circumstantial evidence.

DOWNEY, Nov. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The suspicions of the detectives and the sheriffs have finally settled upon John Foster, who lives on the next ranch to the scene of the Downey horror, as having been connected with the murder of the Wilcox family.

Foster is the man who claims to have heard shots, followed by a woman's screams, as he was doing his chores Saturday night. When the officers at the Coroner's inquest were ferreting out everything that gave a bit of light regarding the time of the tragedy, Foster, the only one who by his own story had any positive information, stood by and let them go on guessing.

A day or so after the discovery of the bodies Foster left home and was gone until yesterday, when he returned to his ranch. He has been under suspicion for several days. The officers early in the game became convinced that the man who did the killing was intimately acquainted with the Wilcox family and with the place. Foster has a record of suspicion and ostracism with a rape case in it, in addition to his curious statement about the woman's screams which he did not take the trouble to investigate. The officers say they are in possession of circumstantial evidence that points toward Foster.

FOSTER INTERVIEWED.

Foster was interviewed by a Times reporter tonight after dark at his lonely little shack, two or three miles out from Downey. It was only a little thing, but Foster answered the reporter's knock in a curious way. The light came through the chinks of the curtains and a confusion of low voices answered the first tap. Then Foster's voice said: "No, don't open the door; I will go out this door," and in a moment the figure of a man came around from a side stoop and confronted the reporter in the moonlight. It seemed as though the women folks inside must not hear.

Foster is a thin, round-shouldered man of about forty years, with heavy, drooping mustache. His eyes were hollow and they were the eyes of the hunted. He could not stand still while he talked. He was grabbing first at the flowers, then resting his foot on the porch edge with his elbow on his knee, and he then jerked himself into another attitude. Once he stood looking out over the orchards to the desolated house beyond. Once as he was talking he suddenly stopped and made a quick, jerky gesture of utter despair.

NERVES ALL UNSTRUNG.

"My nerves are so untrung; they got about all they can stand," he said, with his face twitching.

The reporter said soothingly that he had come to get additional information about the time of the murder, and referred to a man whose contention of a Sunday-morning killing must be disproved. Foster turned a quick, startled look on the newspaper man, but a heavenly light of relief came into his face as he said: "Yes, it was Saturday night." He did not rush into an explanation. He had to be gently prodded to tell the story again of shots at dusk. He did not mention the woman's scream.

"But Mrs. Foster said at the inquest that she heard shots Sunday morning," said the reporter.

"Those were some other shots," said Foster, listlessly. "I have got a hired man who was over there Sunday morning."

"You did not tell this at the inquest."

"No," said Foster, hesitating.

"You were present at the inquest?"

"Yes, I was there," said Foster in the tone of a man who has no special interest in the matter.

"And you did not tell this?"

"No, I was expecting to be called as a witness at the inquest, but I was not."

"Did you tell the officers what you knew?" Foster turned quickly and reached nervously out at one of the flowers, but he said "no." He added: "I wouldn't have gone to the inquest if I hadn't been expecting to be called. That first day was enough to satisfy me."

Foster was the second man to go into the presence of the dead after that awful stinking room had been opened.

WENT TO PASADENA.

"You went away," suggested the reporter.

"Yes," said Foster, "I went to see my brother in Pasadena."

"When did you go?"

"I went Wednesday or Thursday, I've forgot which."

"That night was enough to make any one want to make a trip," said the reporter.

"Oh, it wasn't that," said Foster, hurriedly. "There wasn't much to do here——" His sentence died a natural death.

"Still it must have been painful," said the reporter, "with you such a near neighbor."

"Oh, painful!" echoed Foster, and again that gesture of despair.

"You must have known them well."

"Well, we tried to be neighborly. I didn't know Wilcox well, but I knew Mrs. Wilcox since she was a girl."

"Did Wilcox leave any money?"

"I dunno," said Foster.

"You didn't hear him say?"

"No, dunno nothing."

"The papers say——" began the reporter.

"I haven't seen no papers," said Foster, almost fiercely. I see that The Times had another big lot of pictures and things Sunday morning, but I didn't——" Again his sentence died in a mumble.

THINKS BUD LEWIS DID IT.

"What is your opinion as to who did this?" asked the reporter.

It seemed as though Foster were becoming physically exhausted by the talk. He was limp and unsteady. He gathered himself together and replied: "I think Bud Lewis done it."

"Why?"

Foster hesitated.

"For revenge?" suggested the reporter.

"Yes," said Foster, eagerly.

"Or, jealousy?"

"Yes," said Foster, whirling about, as he did a dozen times during the conversation.

"Do you think Bud did it for money? Why do you think he did it?"

"I guess it was on account of that ex-wife of his."

As the talk went on, Foster kept reiterating these same things, never volunteering information, but always following the lead in the conversation.

EXIT PECULIAR.

Foster's exit from Downey, two days after the murder, when he said he went to Pasadena, was peculiar. He drove over from Downey, across country to Clearwater, and bought a ticket. The agent refuses to say to what point the ticket read. There is a rumor that the ticket was to a point more distant than Pasadena.

THE SUSPECT'S PAST.

Foster seems to have been unfortunate in the past, inasmuch as he was once before an object of suspicion in connection with a serious offense, and given the cold shoulder by the people of his neighborhood.

Several years ago the people in Downey were alarmed by the actions of a mysterious midnight prowler. Attempts were made to break into several residences, and it was noticed that there was a similarity in all the attempts. At each place where an attempt was made it was upon rooms in which young girls were sleeping. On two different occasions the residence of Dr. E. H. Brunson was the scene of the operations. The work was not that of a burglar, for no attempt was made to steal. Whoever was trying to break into the houses was trying to reach the sleeping apartments of girls.

Foster was suspected, and so strong were the suspicions that Dr. Brunson told him to his face that if he ever saw him on his place he would kill him as he would a mad dog. After that Dr. Brunson's house was not molested.

Matters reached a climax, when one night a fifteen-year-old girl, Mabel Mayes, was seized in her bed, gagged and carried into a field at her grandmother's home, near the winery. She managed to remove the bandage from her mouth, and began screaming. When assistance reached her, her assailant had made his escape. She lay under a bush choked into insensibility. Upon recovering she gave a description of him, and said it was Foster, but as the night was dark and her eyes had been covered most of the time, the identification was not complete. The fiend had not accomplished his purpose.

Foster was arrested and charged with this crime, but the victim of the assault was not able to positively identify him, and he was acquitted, witnesses testifying that his character had been good in the past.

After this unpleasant episode Foster's standing in the community was such that he was forbidden the houses of neighbors, and there were threats to drive him away from Downey. He finally left and went to Monrovia and married a very attractive woman. Afterward he returned.

Those who have known Foster well for the past ten or fifteen years have regarded him as a harmless crank, rather than as an individual who might cause injury. He was, several years ago, apparently a mild epileptic. When under great excitement, such as revival camp meetings sometimes produce, he would go into a trance and frequently remain in the cataleptic state for several hours.

Foster has claimed to have shot a man with whom he was involved in a row in Montana.

MISSING LINKS.

CLOTHING AND REVOLVER.

Whatever the result of the investigation by the detectives and county officers, whatever theories they may have formed, or whatever their suspicions, there are still two missing links in the evidence with which it is hoped eventually to convict the murderer. These two are the clothing worn by the villain when he committed his awful crime, and the revolver with which the shooting was done. Neither has as yet been found.

Some of the officers who have worked on the case are strongly of the opinion that the clothing was buried immediately after the fiend made his escape from the Wilcox house. They believe the burial was not far distant from the bloody scene, and, although a considerable search has been made, not a trace of evidence of it can be found. The revolver, too, may have been buried, but it is thought that it is not with the clothing. Although these minor details are immaterial in so far as the exact crime is concerned, they are important in tracing and locating the guilty person.

Shortly after the crime was discovered, the opinion prevailed that the murderer had burned his clothing, which must be blood-stained. This idea is now scouted. Just what reason the officers have for changing their opinion, or upon what their theories as to the clothing and revolver are based, they do not say.

That the remains of Wilcox were disemboweled with a knife, as was at first stated, is not true. It has developed that the disemboweling resulted when an accumulation of gases in the abdomen caused the skin to break. The skin having been seared by the burning of the clothing on the body, was tender, and would have yielded easily to the force of the gases.

Wilcox wore cotton clothing at the time of the murder. It is more easily set afire than woolen, and in all probability the flame which destroyed most of the clothing on Wilcox's lower limbs resulted from the burning powder of the cartridge which was discharged close to his abdomen.

The Sheriff has in his possession two pieces of a rail fence taken from close to the Wilcox home. On each of them is a blood stain. While this may furnish no tangible clew to the identity of the murderer, the blood stains will probably be submitted to a physician for a test as to whether they were made by human blood.

SCOOP THE GOVERNMENT.

French Papers Publish Alleged Extracts from Secret Reports of Gen. Voyron of Chinese Expedition.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, Nov. 26.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Matin and other morning papers publish today alleged extracts from the confidential report of Gen. Voyron, which the government refused to communicate to the Chamber of Deputies last week, during the discussion of the bill authorizing a loan to reimburse the treasury for the outlay in connection with the Chinese expedition. According to these extracts French missionaries looted the palace of Prince Li, securing an important sum in silver bars. They appear to have been assisted by French soldiers and sailors, whom they rewarded with checks amounting to f.50,000, which Gen. Frey subsequently forced the men to return to the missionaries.

INDEMNITY LOAN.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, Nov. 25.—The Chamber of Deputies today, by a vote of 295 to 249, adopted the sum of f.265,000,000 for the Chinese indemnity loan, rejecting the smaller sums proposed by the anti-Clericals.

MARTIN HOGAN DYING.

Was One of the Seven Men Convicted With John Boyle O'Reilly of Treason Against England.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—Martin Hogan, an Irish patriot who was rescued from Van Dieman's Land, Australia, in 1869, is dying at the county hospital. He is one of the seven men convicted with John Boyle O'Reilly, in 1866, of treason against the British government, and sentenced to be shot.

The sentence was commuted to life imprisonment, and afterward reduced to twenty years of penal servitude. With O'Reilly, he was confined in various English prisons until 1867, when he, with his companions, was banished to Van Dieman's Land.

In 1869 the whaling ship Catalpa was fitted out to rescue O'Reilly and his companions. Before its arrival O'Reilly escaped at night in an open boat and was picked up at sea by an American whaler. A few weeks later the Catalpa rescued Hogan and five companions.

OBITUARY.

William Gwynn.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—William Gwynn, for thirty years chief messenger to the Secretary of State, died last night from a chronic stomach complaint.

John Respinia.

PETALUMA, Nov. 25.—John Respinia, a prominent farmer and pioneer Swiss settler in this section, died here today.

EVENTS IN SOCIETY.

Miss Edna Bicknell entertained the members of the Monday Afternoon Musical Club yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, Judge and Mrs. John D. Bicknell, on West Seventh street. The following interesting programme was rendered: Mme. Genevra Johnstone Bishop, soprano solos; Miss Mary Mullins, violin solos; Mrs. Charles Modini-Wood, soprano solos; John Llewellyn, bass solo; Mrs. Mary J. Schallert, contralto solos; Miss Edna Bicknell, vocal solos; Miss Clara Bosbyshell, vocal solos; Miss Mariam Barnes, piano solos; Mrs. W. D. Larrabee, accompanist. Besides the club members and the guests who assisted with the programme, the following-named were present: Mmes. Ellen Entwistle, Cameron, Erskine, Thom, F. T. Bicknell, Albert McCutcheon, Edwin Cawston, J. W. Hinton, H. G. Cates, Brown; Misses Edith Furry, Etta Bicknell, Doran, Laura Doran, Mary Chapman, Winnie Llewellyn and Myrtle Myers.

Surprise Party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baxter were the recipients of a pleasant surprise yesterday evening at their home, No. 1515 Maple avenue, the occasion being in celebration of their fifteenth wedding anniversary. The party was planned by Miss Emma E. Lillie, sister of Mrs. Baxter, and was a complete surprise. About fifty of their friends and neighbors were present, and the evening was delightfully spent. The early part was devoted to a short musical and literary programme, in which the guests contributed. Prof. Horner's Mandolin Club played popular airs throughout the evening. Refreshments were served, and the remainder of the evening was devoted to games. The guests presented Mr. and Mrs. Baxter with a handsome cut-glass vase.

Fraternal Ball.

The Los Angeles Chapter, No. 168, Order of the Eastern Star, entertained about one hundred of their friends and members yesterday evening at their annual ball, given at Kramer's. The hall was handsomely decorated with tropical foliage, and the walls were festooned with palm leaves. Music was furnished by Arend's Orchestra. Light refreshments were served. The Committee on Arrangements included the following-named: Mmes. Julius Martin, Charles Campbell, Adair, Miss Carrie Fulton; Messrs. R. D. Scriver, Bortell and Mark Jones; the Floor Committee was Messrs. R. D. Scriver, Mark Jones, W. D. Stephens, Charles Logan and H. V. Chase. The occasion was a delightfully pleasant one for all present.

Dinner Party.

A dinner party was given Monday evening at the Van Nuys Broadway by Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cason of No. 1221 Westlake avenue in honor of Miss Lillian R. Moody of Chicago. The table was beautifully decorated with white chrysanthemums and violets. Large bunches of dainty blossoms garlanded with trailing smilax formed the floral corner pieces. The artistic combination of colors was carried out in the place cards which were ornamented with hand-painted sprays of violets. After dinner the guests were entertained at the theater.

Holly Whist Club.

Mrs. Frank M. McDaniels entertained the members of the Holly Whist Club yesterday afternoon at her home on North Workman street. The rooms were decorated with holly berries and ferns, and the score cards were ornamented with water color sketches. Mrs. Smith captured the guest's prize. After whist, refreshments were served. Mmes. Harry Stafford, J. B. Smith, W. L. Moore and Miss Bernice Towell occupied the guests' table. Mrs. Frank E. Prior will entertain the club at its next regular meeting. The club membership includes the following-named: Mmes. H. M. Binford, R. W. Drumgold, J. E. Brown, Frank E. Prior, Edward Stevens, W. L. Fillmore, A. L. Dunsmore, Frank Chase, James Birchell, J. R. Joice, C. A. Moore and Henry Collyer.

Last Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. McDaniels entertained the Jolly Twelve. The rooms were decorated with red and yellow chrysanthemums. Mr. Smith captured gentleman's prize, and Mrs. Stafford received the lady's prize. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Stafford, Miss Towell and Mr. Towell. Miss Towell will entertain the club Thursday evening at her home on North Hill street.

Merry Wives' Matinee.

Mrs. R. D. Morris entertained the Merry Wives' Matinée Club yesterday afternoon at her home, No. 640 South Flower street. A "Floral Love Story" was the entertainment of the afternoon. Mrs. Harry Webster captured first prize, a decorated candlestick with shade; Mrs. J. Crampton Anderson received as consolation award a comic bisque figure. After the game refreshments were served. The house was artistically decorated with holly berries. Mrs. Jackson assisted in receiving and entertaining. The club will meet two weeks from next Thursday with Mrs. Webster, No. 638 Towne avenue. Those present were Mmes. Edward Doheny, David Koontz, Harry Webster, J. P. Burch, Hallock, A. E. Jackson, J. Crampton Anderson, Jones and Miss Lucy Johnson.

Informal Luncheon.

Mrs. J. W. Hinton entertained with an informal luncheon last Saturday at her home on West Seventh street, complimentary to Mrs. Myers, who will leave next Thursday for her eastern home. The table was handsomely decorated with roses and ferns. Mrs. Myers came to Los Angeles to attend the wedding of her son, Louis Myers and Miss Blanche Brown, which will take place next Wednesday.

Pine Forest Whist Club.

Miss Clara French was the hostess yesterday afternoon at her home, No. 837 Alvarado street, when she entertained the members of the Pine Forest Whist Club. Mrs. Mary E. Nichols received first prize, a handsomely-embroidered sofa pillow. Mrs. Charles Matthay won second, a lace handkerchief. Mrs. Octavius Morgan will entertain the club members two weeks from yesterday at her home, No. 819 Westlake avenue. Those present were Mmes. John McCrae, Laura P. Clark, John H. Jones, Octavius Morgan, W. T. Jeffries, Charles H. Matthay, Eugene Campbell, A. R. Glidden, Mary E. Nichols, H. B. Sherman, F. W. Strong, M. P. Snyder, H. M. Binford, M. T. Bennett, G. J. Griffith, V. L. Mitchell; Misses Raessler, Pauline Raessler and Carrie Longstreet.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Mrs. William May Garland and son, W. M. Garland, Jr., arrived home today on the limited after a protracted visit in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thatcher Marvin are in the city for the winter. Mrs. Marvin is the daughter of the late E. J. C. Kenen of this city. They will reside at No. 600 Burlington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Robinson of Boston have arrived in the city, and will spend the winter with Mr. Robinson's daughter, Mrs. N. B. Blackstone.

Dr. Ralph Williams has returned home from a month's visit in the South.

Miss Tinsman of Salt Lake City is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mary Brant Paxton, of No. 735 Stewart street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Daveler and daughter, Mattie, of Sterling, Ill., who have been guests of their mother, Mrs. E. A. Jones on South Olive street, have located for the winter at No. 2314 Maple avenue.

Mrs. Sarah A. Wright of Glenwood, Iowa, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Hale of Grand avenue.

REPUBLIC OF MEXICO OFFERS COMPROMISE.

QUEER PROPOSITION MADE TO WRONGED AMERICANS.

Young Men Who Were Imprisoned and Lost Their Property Might Get Twenty Dollars by Expending Thirty. Murder of Judge by Outlaw.

SAN DIEGO, Nov. 25.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The Mexican government has at last offered a compromise in the case of the two young men, Pittmen and Holmes. Several months ago they drove a few miles below the international border line, and being discovered by the Mexican customs officials, their horse and buggy were confiscated, and they themselves thrown in jail. Through the negotiations of Collector Bowers of this port their release was secured, but the property was not returned. The matter was referred to the Secretary of the Treasury, and by him to the State Department, and by it to the American Consul at the City of Mexico. The Mexican government sold the property for $20, and now offers to pay this sum over, providing that the young men will come after it and sign certain papers. As the trip would cost them $30, they will not accept the offer. A renewed effort will be made to get the Washington authorities to take it up:

FIGHTING SOLDIERS.

Sergt. Benjamin Hiatt and Private J. M. Gant of the barracks failed to appear before Justice Anderson today to answer to the charge of disturbing the peace, and forfeited their bail. Their troubles grew out of a quarrel on the part of the private to get even with his superior for rigidly enforcing discipline. He caught the "non-com" on Fifth and H streets and picked a quarrel. The officer whipped out his gun, but it was knocked out of his hand and a lively fist fight ensued. The sergeant was worsted, but the police arrived in time to prevent serious consequences.

CITIZENS' DIVERSION.

Barrett Jacques and D. R. Hirschler had an altercation on the street this morning, after which neither claimed the victory, but both were a little worse for wear. Hirschler claimed that Jacques's dog bit his child. Jacques declared his dog incapable of such a thing, and invited Hirschler into a real estate office to settle the altercation. They came to blows, and some high language was used. Each accuses the other of being the aggressor. They were separated. Hirschler this afternoon got out a warrant for Jacques's arrest. Both men are prominent citizens, Hirschler being one of the leading merchants here.

JUDGE MURDERED.

Pedro Morales's latest victim is Leardo Fierror, district judge of Alamo, Lower California. It seems that eight months ago there was a desperate attempt, near Alamo, to capture the outlaw, in which Fierror was a leader. Morales was shot in the neck and hand, and was reported as dead, but turned up in a few days at an Indian village. He swore vengeance on Fierror. In the attempt at capture, the judge obtained possession of the desperado's horse and saddle. Last week the ruffian concluded that he would go after them. He left his home on Tuesday and was back on Friday with the horse and saddle. It has since developed that Judge Fierror was shot and killed because he resisted the taking.

ROCK ISLAND NOT INTERESTED IN IT.

NEW PHOENIX-BENSON ROAD IS A LOCAL CONCERN.

President Frank Murphy Says His Company is Standing on Its Own Bottom—Numerous Railway Projects on the Tapis in Arizona.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Nov. 22.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] "You may quote me as saying that the Rock Island has nothing whatever to do with the new road that I and my associates contemplate building from Phoenix to Benson. Neither is it a Santa Fé enterprise, though assuredly constructed with all friendliness toward that corporation."

The speaker was Frank M. Murphy, president of the Santa Fé, Prescott and Phoenix Railway Company. The road referred to is the one which has been considered a link in the rumored extension of the Rock Island system from El Paso to the Coast. If the Rock Island goes west from Benson it will either have to parallel the Southern Pacific or this new Phoenix and Eastern Railway for their routes occupy about the only available passes through the mountains of Southeastern Arizona. Mr. Murphy explains that the road is being built as a developer of the country; that on the Lower San Pedro River and along the Gila to Florence, and thence across the plain to Phoenix, lies a stretch of country rich in minerals and in agricultural possibilities which only needs transportation to become fruitful, and profitable to the company that furnishes the transportation. This, however, is the expression of an interested individual, and there is a probability that Santa Fé interests, through him, are simply occupying the only available route left for transcontinental railroad through Southern Arizona, to the exclusion of possible rivals.

This same line, from Benson to Phoenix, has been viewed, however, by Baron de Fontmillier, associate of the Belmonts, and, therefore, of the Rothschilds. He and others, presumably in the interests of the Rock Island, have formed a corporation to build a road from Benson to Phoenix. Just what connection this incorporation has with Mr. Murphy's plans is not known, but it is presumed to be in opposition. If the Rock Island is to build through Arizona it is very evident it will have to move rapidly or be anticipated by the Murphy line.

There is a suggestion of another Pacific Coast connection in a statement made by Mr. Murphy that the interests he represents design the construction of a new road westward from Congress Junction to the Colorado River, with a branch into the rich mining district around Hillside. There is no doubt that such a road would tap one of the richest mining districts of the Southwest, including great copper mines on the northern slopes of the Harcuvar Mountains. It would be a very easy road to build as well, the grade at no point exceeding one-half of 1 per cent. Indeed, this can be said of the entire line from Benson westward, giving a very material advantage over either the Santa Fé or Southern Pacific routes. But it is not to be presumed that the project stops with the Colorado River, though Mr. Murphy has said nothing further for publication. There seems no doubt that the project also designs an extension of the road from the Colorado westward through California to San Diego. Much of this, however, is simply "in the air."

Mr. Murphy has just returned from the State of Chihuahua, Mex., where he has been investigating a plan for another road, an extension of the Rio Grande, Sierra Madre and Pacific Railway, from Casas Grandes, into the Sierra Madre Mountains. The Sierra Madre road was originally projected to extend to Topolobampo Bay, en route passing through much of the roughest country in the backbone range of the continent. The plan now in view seems to have no connection with the original plan. The new road, if built, will be constructed about one hundred miles to develop one of the most marvelous of bodies of white pine. Four billion feet of timber is available, of a quality much better than that known in Arizona. It is embraced within a grant of a half million acres, known as the Garcia tract, controlled by New York capitalists. The same country, as well, is noted for its mineral resources and even now is a heavy shipper of gold and silver ores, which are packed down on muleback from the hills to the railroad, at an expense of not less than $100 a ton. Many of the mines were worked by the Spaniards in the past, and the richness of the product is shown by a single carload that returned, at the El Paso smelter, $34,000. The proposed road into the Sierra Madres will be a very expensive undertaking, with grades exceeding 3 per cent. Much of it would cost $50,000 a mile.

Another road in which the same interests are involved, is the 27-mile extension for the Prescott and Eastern into the Bradshaw Mountains; and still another is to the Poland mine, a distance of eight miles from Huron Station, on the Prescott and Eastern.

All these works are being done by Mr. Murphy as representative and president of the Development Company of North America, a new million-dollar syndicate, with headquarters in the Park Row building in New York City. The corporation embraces within it many smaller companies. This corporation, as well, is behind the work of the rehabilitation of the Tombstone mines, the driving of the Poland tunnel, from Bigbug Valley to Lynx Creek, and other mining enterprises of magnitude. It is also suggested as an immediate possibility that it stands ready to take up the work of reclamation of much of the desert area of South Central Arizona, and the construction of the necessary dams.

Mr. Murphy spoke his mind, briefly, but forcibly, on the subject of the proper method for the speedy reclamation of the arid lands of Arizona. Emphatically, he believes it can best be done through organizations of capital. "I am ready," he says, "to pay $100,000 for 100,000 acres of desert land, and then stand ready to produce money enough, say $1,000,000, to build a reservoir to put water on it."

MUST MOVE HIS FENCES.

DENVER, Nov. 25.—A special to the News from Cheyenne, Wyo., says that Judge Byner this afternoon gave A. A. Spaugh, the Manville stockman convicted of fencing nearly 300,000 acres of government land, until January 3, 1902, to remove the fences.

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LIKE BOTKIN CASE.

Trial Begins of Wife Charged With Murder By Giving Him Poison

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED

JACKSONVILLE (Ill.) trial of William Ferguson charged with the murder commenced in the Circuit Court today. Ferguson created a by asking the court to appoint torney for him, claiming torney had entered into a with the attorneys of Mrs. is also under indictment in C throw all responsibility upon court appointed H. M. Tich city.

Ferguson is charged with in a plot to murder Dr. Barnicello, Ill., who was a patient Central Insane Hospital here April, when he died from of poisoned candy. Ferguson the candy, but claims that know it contained poison.

WYOMING STREET D

DENVER, Nov. 25.—A the News from Sheridan, that in a street duel this Harlsough shot and instantly C. McLaughlin, his partner, ran a livery stable and as the hiring of a hostler fell at the first fire. The killing to occur in Sheridan a week.

TWICE TOLD TALES.

No Most Extracted from Those Most Need the Fat

We have more than one reader, of the fact that he or she haps easily discover the cause of ill feeling and the experiment cult to make.

But there are readers who are for some one else and not themselves.

Some day the oft told fact will on us as applicable when the comes home, that day after day venience and perhaps of suffering endured, the cause not being believed, although we may have of the cause many times over, believed it applied to us.

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BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Nov. 25, 1901.

FINANCIAL.

LOANS AND SECURITIES ISSUED IN LONDON. Figures of new loans and securities issued in London during the nine months ended September 30 reveal some interesting facts. Thus it is shown that for the period under review there is a total increase of £5,-462,700 over 1900 and of £30,584,000 over 1899. But this increase is wholly due to issues of British government loans, which in the past nine months have been £27,930,000 larger than in 1900 and £71,300,000 larger than in 1899. Separate figures for the quarter ending with September make a better showing, the total for 1901 being £19,029,200, as against £48,768,500 in 1900. This difference is chiefly due to the fact that the British government borrowed £13,770,-000 during the quarter last year, and none at all in the same three months this year. British railways have also issued £4,000,000 less securities in this quarter and manufacturing companies £5,225,000 less. There has been no market for them. For the nine completed months, summary of the more interesting classes of loans is as follows:

Loans—	1901.	1900.	1899.
British gov't.	£ 71,397,000	£ 44,210,000	
Colonial	13,975,000	6,124,500	£ 7,275,000
Foreign gov't	987,200	1,940,000	5,100,000
British municipal	4,210,500	9,208,000	5,614,000
British railways	8,552,000	7,784,000	5,494,000
Mining Co's.	4,598,500	4,295,000	3,947,000
All others	24,382,100	25,809,000	41,942,200
Totals	£127,502,300	£102,344,500	£107,464,200

—[Bradstreets.

COMMERCIAL.

BRAZIL NUTS. Recent reports from New York indicate a great certainty that Brazil nuts will be advanced in value almost at once. Supplies in sight are very light.

GLUCOSE FIRM. The Glucose Sugar Refining Company a week ago announced an impending advance in values because of the higher cost of corn.

COMPARATIVE PRICES. The following table reflects the comparative wholesale prices of staples at New York on the given dates:

CASH PRICES.

Cash prices of staple commodities:	Nov. 15, 1901.	Nov. 15, 1900.
Wheat, No. 2, red	.83¾	.79½
Corn, No. 2, mixed	.68	.46
Oats, No. 2, mixed	.46	.38
Flour Minnesota patent	$4.15	$4.25
Lard, choice	9.00	7.45
Pork, mess	15.50	12.25
Beef, hams	19.00	17.50
Beef, family	11.50	11.00
Coffee, No. 7 Rio	.06¾	.07¾
Molasses, o.k. prime	.40	.44
Sugar, granulated	4.90	5.60
Iron, No. 1 foundry	15.50	15.50
Lead	4.37½	4.37½
Tin	26.25	29.00
Copper, Lake ingot	17.00	17.00
Cotton, middle uplands	.08	.03¼
Print cloths	.03¼	.09¼

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

CHEAPENING PRODUCTION. Great changes have taken place during the last twenty years in the methods of handling beans on the farm, as well as by the elevators. Then they were usually planted with a hoe and cultivated with a one-horse cultivator. Now a two-horse planter plants ten to twelve acres a day in rows thirty inches apart, and a farmer rides on a two-horse cultivator and cares for the crop. At that time all were pulled by hand labor at a cost of $2.50 to $3 per acre. About 1880 the first successful harvester was brought out. One man, with a pair of horses, now harvests ten acres a day at an expense of 25 cents per acre. The bean thrasher, with power furnished by a steam engine, was introduced about 1875, the threshing being done at an expense of about 10 cents per bushel, all told. Formerly the pods were stored in the barn until the first cold days of winter, when they were thrashed out with the old-fashioned flail, which, as a gymnastic exercise, beats all the modern appliances out of sight. Sometimes the barn floor was covered to the depth of one or two feet and horses were driven around on them, two or three men constantly turning them with forks. After thrashing came the cleaning through the fanning mill to remove the vast amount of pods, dirt, etc. All this was tedious, slow work, but kept the appetites of the boys up to high-water mark. Prices, as a whole, did not average much different from recent years. The production in Michigan twenty years ago was probably not over 100,000 bushels; this year's estimate is over 4,000,000 bushels.

The process of handling beans in the elevators has necessarily changed very much also in the last few years. They were usually thrown into a bin and from there scooped by hand into a fanning mill turned by hand, then placed on stationary tables and the interior beans picked out by girls and women, and from there carried and dumped into bins or barrels. At the modern elevator the farmer drives to the door, dumps his bags into a hopper beside his wagon, from which they are elevated into a large power cleaner, from this into a hopper scale, and then elevated to the top of the building, then passing through a machine picker that removes about three-fourths of the discolored beans, passing again to the cupola, where they are spouted onto a moving canvas, either a separate machine with one girl at the end, or a wider and a longer one with a row of girls on each side, who remove all the defective beans which the machines have failed to catch. For this work they get 2½ to 3 cents per pound for each pound they pick out. The good beans, which are now called choice hand picked, pass to bins below and are ready to be drawn into bags. The only hand labor from farmer to car, except sorting by girls, is sewing the sacks and wheeling into cars.—[Michigan Tradesman.

CITRUS-FRUIT SHIPMENTS. There were shipped from Southern California Saturday and Sunday thirty-six carloads of oranges and eighteen of lemons. The total shipments for the season, November 1, 1901, to date, are 223 carloads, of which 147 were lemons.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

The only definite changes in values announced for the opening of the week are an advance to $11 per barrel on cranberries, and Belleflower apples to $1.50 for four-tier fruit. The deal for the next two or three days will be in Thanksgiving turkeys. There is a fair supply of eastern dressed stock in sight, which will be jobbed at 14 to 15 cents. Live California birds are shy up to this time. They are probably held back for better prices. A good many coops of Kansas birds are on the market. Dealers say, basing their views on the lay-down cost of these that they are not offering above 12½ to 13 cents for local stock. But Tuesday and Wednesday are the big days. Poultry generally will be slow this week, as the demand will run largely to turkeys. Still, a good many people will substitute a good fat hen or a nice young rooster.

Butter is steady at prices current for several weeks.

Eggs are steady, the trade showing no disposition to force prices up. Should this warm weather hold on, the production of local eggs may be materially increased in a short time.

No changes are reported in cured meats. The market is easy.

Dried Fruits, Nuts and Raisins.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice to fancy, 7¼@8; apricots, 10@11; peaches, fancy, 7½@8; choice, 7@7½; pears, fancy evaporated, 6½@6; plums, pitted choice, 7½@8; prunes, choice, 4@5; fancy, 6@7; dates, 5; figs, sacks, California, white, per lb., 4@7; California, black, per lb., 4@4; California, fancy layers, per lb., 6@7½; imported Smyrna, 5.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 2.50; 1-crown Layers, per box, 1.60@2.10; loose, 4½@4¾ per lb.; Seedless Sultanas, 5@6.

NUTS — Almonds, paper-shell, 14; softshell, 13; hardshell, 11; Brazils, 10@12; filberts, 12@14; peanuts, raw, eastern, 6½; roasted, 8½; California, choice raw, 8½; California, fancy raw, 6; California, roasted, 10@12; walnuts, softshell, first grade, 10½@11; hardshell, first grade, 9½@10; pinones, New Mexico, 7.

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Per ctl., new, choice to fancy, 1.50@1.75; fair to good, 1.25@1.50; sweets, 75@1.00.

ONIONS—New, per cental, 2.25@2.50.

VEGETABLES—Beets, per cwt., 50@75; cabbage, 1.00@1.50; carrots, 50@75 per cwt.; green chilies, 1@2 per lb.; dry chilies, per string, 50@1.00; lettuce, per doz., 30; parsnips, 1.50@1.75 per cwt.; green peas, 4@5; radishes, per dozen bunches, 25; string beans, 4@6; turnips, 50@60 per cwt.; garlic, 6@7½; tomatoes, 60@75; asparagus, per lb., 8@9; celery, per doz., 25@30; cauliflower, per doz., 30@40.

Fresh Fruits and Berries.

LEMONS — Per box, choice to fancy, 2.00; fresh, 1.50@1.75.

ORANGES—Valencias, 2.00@2.50.

LIMES—Per doz., 1.00.

COCOANUTS—Per doz., 90@1.00.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz., 4.00@5.00.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 1.50@1.75.

STRAWBERRIES—Per box, common, 75@; fancy, 90@.

APPLES—Good to choice, 1.25@1.75.

BANANAS—Per bunch, 2.00@3.00.

CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., 11.00.

Hay and Grain.

BARLEY—Mill price, 85.

OATS—Jobbing price, 1.35@1.40.

CORN—1.45.

HAY—New barley, 8.00@10.00; alfalfa, 8.00@10.00; loose, 1.00@8.00.

WHEAT—Mill price, per cental, 1.10@1.15.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

BUTTER—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, per square, 30; southern creamery, 27½@28; dairy, 22½@25; Coast creamery, 27½.

EGGS—Per doz., fresh ranch, 32@33; eastern, —.

CHEESE—California, Downey or Anchor, per lb., 15½; California, Young Americas, per lb., 13½; California, 2-lb. hand, per lb., 17½; Coast, full cream, per lb., 13½@14; domestic Swiss, per lb., 17@17½; imported Swiss, per lb., 27; Edam, fancy, per doz., 2.50; Martin's New York cream, per lb., 15½@16; Wisconsin, full cream, per lb., 13½@15; Magaw, 15@15½.

Beans.

BEANS — Pink, 2.90@3.00; Lima, 3.50; Lady Washington, 3.75; white, small, 4.00@4.10.

Live Stock.

HOGS—Per cwt., 5.00@5.50.

CATTLE—Per cwt., 2.75@4.00 for prime steers; 3.00@3.50 for cows and heifers; calves, 4.00@4.50.

SHEEP—Per head, wethers, 4.00@4.50; ewes, 3.00@3.50; lambs, 2.00@2.50.

Poultry.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition: 10@11 per lb. for poultry; ducks, 9@; for turkeys, 10@14; geese, 8@9.

Fresh Meats.

BEEF—Per lb., 6@7.

VEAL—8@9.

MUTTON—Per lb., 7½; lamb, 8.

PORK—Per lb., 9.

Flour and Feedstuffs.

FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 3.50@3.60; northern, 3.60; eastern, Pillsbury's Best, 3.60; other brands, 3.75@4.50; graham flour, 4.50 per 100 lbs.

FEEDSTUFFS — Bran, per ton, 20.00; rolled barley, 15.00; cracked corn, 1.50 per cwt.

Provisions.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 13½; Gilbert, 11½; picnic, 9½@10½; Winchester, medium, 13½; do., light, 13½; Premium, 15½; Skinned, 14½@15½; 40-er, 12½@14; Gold Band, 12.

DRY SALT PORK — Per lb., clear bellies, 11½@11¾; short clears, 11½@11¾; clear backs, 10½@10¾.

DRIED BEEF—Per lb., insides, 13@17½.

PICKLED BEEF—Per bbl., 14.00; rump butts, 17.00.

PICKLED PORK—Per bbl., Sunderland, 27.00.

BACON — Per lb., Rex Breakfast, 20@16½; mild cured do., 12@12½; special fancy, 16; bacon backs, 12½; Winchester, medium, 12½@12½; light, 13; Empire, 16½; Premium, 17½; 20-er, medium, 14@14½; light, 15; Gold Band, 17½.

LARD—Pure, per lb., Silver Leaf, tierces, 11½; 50-lb. tins, 11½; 10s, 11¾; 5s, 12¼; 2s, 12½; Pan-tierces, 12¾; 50-lb. tins, 12¾; 10s, 12¾; 5s, 13; 2s, 13¼; 1s, 13½; White Label, tierces, 11½; 50s, 11¾; 10s, 11¾; 5s, 12¼; 2s, 12½.

Honey and Beeswax.

HONEY—Per lb., in comb, frames, 12@13½; extracted, 5@6.

BEESWAX—Per lb., 26@28.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 21.—Wheat quiet; barley futures steady; spot barley easier; oats steady; hay steady; bran and middlings weak; beans steady; eggs steady; fancy creamery butter, steady; other grades weak; cheese steady; oranges weak; lemons dull; choice apples firm; apples easier; potatoes and onions firm; tomatoes easy; green peas weaker; poultry steady.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—From general strength during the early part of the day, the stock market gave way to general weakness before the close, and ended under active selling pressure with only such recoveries as were due to the early taking of profits on the short side by the bears. It is probable in the early strength that many stocks responded very moderately to the buoyant rise in the leaders. The general break at the last was effecting throughout the list, but it left the leaders of the advance with considerable net gains to show. The trunk lines were early leaders of the advance, especially New York Central, which added 4½ to its previous remarkable advance. No news was offered to explain the advance, beyond the many rumors, long prevalent, of a Vanderbilt deal. The movement in Pennsylvania was a mere supplement to that in New York Central, and was in the hands of professional speculators, who saw the force of an argument for the maintenance of an approximate ratio between the two stocks. Pennsylvania's extreme advance was 2¾. The late reaction left a net gain for New York Central of 4¾ and for Pennsylvania of 1¾. Reading, Erie and New York Central carried with it the junior Vanderbilts to the extent of from 1¾ to 10 points, the latter figure for Michigan Central. There was enormous buying of the preferred stock of the Southern Railway stocks, but their advance never much exceeded a point. A factor in the opening strength was the scramble on the part of the bears, who went short of Amalgamated Copper on Saturday on the report, afterward denied, that the Attorney-General of the United States was preparing a case against the company under the anti-trust laws. The opening rush carried the stock 7½ over Saturday's closing level, and this proved the higher point of the day. The indisposition of the stock to rally further invited renewed attack, and the final slump to below 80 was the principal unsettling factor in the general list. The stock touched 79¾ and closed at 80. The heaviness of the trans-continental stocks was a feature of the trading throughout. Speculators are apparently indisposed to pay higher prices for these stocks until the result is disclosed of the agitation in the Northwestern States against the Northern Securities Company. There was an upward spurt of 3¾ in St. Paul, which seemed to be manipulated by the bull leaders under a realization of the depressing effect of the heaviness in that group. There was more or less realizing in stocks which have recently advanced under cover of the early strength in the leaders, but it was not more than is usual in the progress of a bull market. There was no change in the conditions of the money market. Foreign exchange continued to drop away from the gold export point. Except for the strongest stocks, the weak closing of the market left loans predominating, running to a point or over in some cases. Railroad bonds were firm; total sales, $2,865,000. United States bs and the new 4s advanced ½ per cent on the last call.

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg....109¾
U. S. R. 2s coup....109¾
U. S. 2s reg....103½
U. S. 3s coup....106¾
U. S. 4s reg....129¾
U. S. 4s coup....129¾
U. S. old 4s reg....112½
U. S. old 4s coup....112½
U. S. 5s reg....107¾
U. S. 5s coup....107¾
Atchison, Gen. 4s....103¾
Atchison, Adj. 4s....95½
B. & O. 6s....116½
B. & O. 3½s....96½
B. & O. Conv. 4s....103
Can. So. 2ds....103
Cen. of Ga. 5s....107½
C. of G. 1st Inc....73½
C. & O. 4½s....107
C. & A. 4½s....95½
C. & O. 5s....119½
C. M. & St. P. 6s....113
C. & N. W. 7s....142½
C. R. I. & P. 4s....100½
C. C. C. & St. L....104½
Chicago Ter. 4s....91½
Colo. & So. 4s....99½
D. & R. G. 4s....100½
Erie prior lien 4s....94½
Erie Gen. 4s....80
Fort Worth 1sts....101
Mack. Val. 4½s....104½
L. & N. Un. 4s....102½
Mex. C. 1st Inc....29½
M. & St. L. 4s....100
M. K. & T. 4s....100½
M. K. & T. 2ds....72½
N. Y. C. 1sts....103½
N. Y. C. G. 3½s....109½
N. Y. C. Gen. 3s....107
N. P. 3s....72¾
N. P. 4s....103¼
N. & W. Con. 4s....102½
Reading Gen. 4s....97½
St. L. & I. M. 5s....115½
St. L. & S. F. 4s....95½
St. L. & S. W. 1sts....90½
St. L. & S. W. 2ds....70½
S. A. & A. P. 4s....89½
So. Pacific 4s....94½
So. Railway 5s....120½
T. & P. 1sts....107
T. St. L. & W....43½
Union Pacific 4s....103½
U. P. Conv. 4s....107
Wabash 1sts....119
Wabash 2ds....110¼
Wabash Deb. B....62
West Shore 4s....113¾
W. & L. E. 4s....97
Wis. Cen. 4s....83½
Cent'l Tob. pfd....45½

New York Money.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Money on call, easier at 2½@4½ per cent; last loan, 3½; ruling rate, 4 per cent. Prime mercantile, 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange, steady at decline, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.87 for demand and at 4.83½@4.83¾ for sixty days. Posted rates, 4.84½. Commercial bills, 4.83@4.83½. Silver certificates, 64@64½. Bar silver, 59½. Mexican dollars, 46½. Government bonds, steady; State, inactive; railroad, firm.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Atchison	80¾	Ont. & Western	19¾
Atchison pfd	97¾	Pacific Mail	44¾
Baltimore & Ohio	97¾	Peoria & Eastern	24¾
Canadian Pacific	127¾	Reading	57¾
Canada Southern	70¾	Reading 1st pfd	84¾
Central of N. J.	210	Reading 2d pfd	77¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	37¾	Rock Island	27¾
Chicago & Alton	35	Rock Island pfd	70¾
Chicago & Alton pfd	70	St. Paul	172¾
Chicago Great Western	22¾	St. Paul pfd	189
Chicago Great Western A	90¾	St. Paul & Omaha	170¾
Chicago Great Western B	22¾	Southern Pacific	69¾
Chicago Great Western C	8¾	Southern Railway	30¾
Chicago Great Western D	22¾	Southern Railway pfd	94¾
Chicago & Northwestern	190¾	Texas & Pacific	36¾
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific	137¾	Toledo, St. L. & K. C.	70¾
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific pfd	137¾	Union Pacific	103¾
Chicago, Terre Haute & Southeastern	40¾	Union Pacific pfd	94¾
Chicago, Terre Haute & Southeastern pfd	90¾	United States Leather	11¾
Cleveland, Cin., Chi. & St. L.	80¾	United States Leather pfd	79¾
Cleveland, Cin., Chi. & St. L. pfd	97¾	United States Rubber	20¾
Colorado Fuel & Iron	39¾	United States Rubber 1st pfd	70¾
Colorado Southern	20¾	United States Rubber 2d pfd	40¾
Colorado Southern 1st pfd	57¾	United States Steel	43¾
Colorado Southern 2d pfd	34¾	United States Steel pfd	93¾
Delaware & Hudson	170¾	Wabash	19¾
Delaware, Lack. & Western	270¾	Wabash pfd	39¾
Denver & Rio Grande	39¾	Wheeling & Lake Erie	20¾
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	90¾	Wheeling & Lake Erie 1st pfd	79¾
Erie	39¾	Wheeling & Lake Erie 2d pfd	50¾
Erie 1st pfd	72¾	Wisconsin Central	23¾
Erie 2d pfd	58¾	Adams Express	180
Great N. pfd	189¾	American Express	240
Hocking Valley	91¾	Consolidated Gas	210
Hocking Valley pfd	90¾	Commercial Cable	170
Illinois Central	139¾	Colorado Coal & Iron	39¾
Iowa Central	20	Consolidated Coal	39¾
Iowa Central pfd	39¾	Distilling & Cattle Feeding	20¾
Kansas & Texas	30¾	Distilling & Cattle Feeding pfd	70¾
Kansas & Texas pfd	70¾	General Electric	210
Lake Erie & W.	24¾	Glucose Sugar	39¾
Lake Erie & W. pfd	101	Glucose Sugar pfd	110
Lake Shore	201¾	Illinois Steel	70¾
Louisville & Nashville	90¾	International Paper	20¾
Manhattan L.	134¾	International Paper pfd	70¾
Met. St. Ry.	151¾	International Pump	39¾
Mexican Central	21¾	International Pump pfd	90¾
Mexican Nat'l	14¾	National Biscuit	44¾
Minn. & St. L.	97¾	National Biscuit pfd	110¾
Missouri Pacific	104¾	National Lead	20¾
M., K. & Texas	30¾	National Lead pfd	90¾
M., K. & T. pfd	70¾	North American	90
Mobile & Ohio	70¾	Pacific Coast	70¾
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	30¾	Pacific Mail	44¾
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd	70¾	People's Gas	97¾
Nashville, Chattanooga & St. L.	120	Pressed Steel Car	40
New Jersey Central	140	Pressed Steel Car pfd	90
New York Central	140¾	Pullman Palace Car	210
Norfolk & Western	46¾	Republic Steel	10
Norfolk & Western pfd	90¾	Rep. Steel pfd	69¾
North Pac. pfd	89¾	Sugar	140¾
Ontario & Western	39¾	Tenn. Coal & I.	64¾
Pennsylvania	140¾	Union Bag & P.	14
Reading	57¾	Union Bag & P. pfd	70
Reading 1st pfd	84¾	U. S. Leather	11¾
Reading 2d pfd	77¾	U. S. L. pfd	79¾
St. Louis & S. F.	29¾	U. S. Rubber	19¾
St. L. & S. F. pfd	70	U. S. R. pfd	70¾
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd	71	U. S. Steel	43¾
St. L. & S. W.	29¾	U. S. Steel pfd	93¾
St. L. & S. W. pfd	61	Western Union	91¾
Texas Pacific	36¾	Am. Ice Co.	24¾
St. Paul pfd	189	Am. Loc. Co. pfd	89
Southern Pacific	69¾		

Total sales for the day, 1,212,300 shares.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		West'house Com.	71¾
Call loans	4@5	Mining—	
Time loans	4½@5	Adventure	22
Bonds—		Allouez	4¾
Atchison 4s	102	Amalgamated	66¾
Mexican Cen. 4s	59	Baltic	46¾
N. E. G. & C.	85	Bingham	29
Railroads—		C. & Hecla	660@665
Atchison	80¾	Centennial	17
Atchison pfd	100¾	Copper Range	64¾
Boston & Albany	256½	Dominion Coal	41¾
Boston & Maine	190¾	Franklin	16¾
Boston Elevated	165	Isle Royale	28
N. Y. N. H. & H.	233	Mohawk	54¾
Fitchburg pfd	144¾	Old Dominion	25
Union Pacific	26	Osceola	86
Mexican Central	21	Parrot	36
Miscellaneous—		Quincy	150
Am. Sugar	129¾	Santa Fe Copper	4
Am. T. & T.	170	Tamarack	190
Dom. I. & S.	27¾	Trimountain	45
Gen. Electric	209	Trinity	25
Mass. Electric	36	United States	19
Mass. Electric pfd	98	Utah	37¾
N. E. G. & C.	84	Victoria	4¾
United Fruit	88	Winona	3
U. S. Steel	43¾	Wolverine	58
U. S. Steel pfd	93¾		

London Financial Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: "The stock market today had a brisker tone, the bear contingent covering on the eve of settlement day. The American list opened about a quarter in New York's improving money situation. There was a strong New York support in Chesapeake and Ohio, Ontario and Western was in demand, Louisville and Nashville spurted on the curb on orders from New York. Silver is heavy on American sales."

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Today's statement of the treasury balances shows: Available cash balance, $165,839,597; gold, $108,494,113.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—Wheat had a nervous market, fairly active at times, with a narrow range. Cables were a little higher, and December opened here a shade higher to a shade lower, at 72¾ to 72¾. Absence of rain in the Southwest and additional clearances of prices up to 72¾ early, but traders were more interested in the coarser grains and on the report of an increase of 3,225,000 bushels in the visible supply, and on liberal receipts, December sagged to 72¼. On the low prices, a moderate outside demand appeared, and the market reacted. December closed steady, a shade lower at 72¾. World's shipments were 36,150,000 bushels, compared with 8,972,000 last week. Smaller receipts than were estimated Saturday, a strong demand and the approval of the action of the December options brought a nervous and irregular opening in corn. December closed strong, ½c higher at 67¾. Trade in oats was broad and active throughout the session, especially for the July option. December closed firm, ¼@½c higher at 42¾@43. Provisions were fairly active, with higher tendencies. January pork closed 20c higher; January lard 25½c up, and January ribs 20c higher.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat, No. 2—	Closing.
November	72¾
December	72¾
May	76
Corn, No. 2—	
November	63¾
December	67¾
May	64½
Oats, No. 2—	
December	42¾@43¾
May	43½@43¾
July	39

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 69@72½; No. 3 red, 71½@73½; No. 2 red, 72¾@75¾; No. 2 white oats, 44½@44½; No. 3 white, 43@43½; No. 2 rye, 60@61; fair to choice malting barley, 60@62; No. 2 flax seed, 1.42; prime timothy seed, 4.45; prime clover, nominal, 6.25; mess pork, per bbl., 14.75@14.80; lard, per 100 lbs., 9.10@9.15; short ribs, sides (loose), 8.00@8.20; dry salted shoulders (boxed), 7¾@7¾; short clear sides (boxed), 8.40@8.50; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.31.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	27,000	27,000
Wheat, bushels	122,000	119,000
Corn, "	170,000	441,000
Oats, "	288,000	287,000
Rye, "	15,000	1,000
Barley, "	95,000	2,000

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady; creamery, 16@24½; dairy, 15@20; cheese, steady, 9½@10½. Eggs, steady; fresh, 22½.

Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—Close: Wheat—November, 72¾; December, 72¾; May, 76. Corn—November, 63¾; December, 67¾. Oats—November, 14.70; January, 15.57½. Lard—November, 6.12½; January, 5.12½. Ribs—November, 5.07½; January, 5.07½. Flax, cash, Northwestern, 1.46. Rye, 55¾. Barley, cash, 55@62. Timothy, March, 4.12½.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The local market for spot tin again advanced. Spot is very scarce, and in few hands, and sought after by many who are short, hence the further gain of 75 points today. There were arrivals of 525 tons, but this had no effect on the market, as they will not be unloaded for a few days. The close was strong, with spot quoted at 29.25. At London, values also advanced; spot closing strong at £136, and futures at £109 12s. The local market for copper was quiet at 16.50@17.00 for lake, and at 16¾@16¾ for casting. London prices were 2s 6d lower on spot and 7s 6d off on futures, spot closing at £60 5s and futures at £64 10s. Lead was dull here and unchanged abroad. Spelter was quiet and unchanged at home and abroad. Iron was quiet.

New York General Markets.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Wheat, spot, firm; options closed firm at ¼ net advance. Close: May, 81¾; December, 80. Hops, quiet. Hides, steady. Wool, quiet. Coffee, spot, Rio easy; No. 7 invoice, 6¾; mild steady; Cordova, 7½@11; futures closed steady, 15 to 20 points net lower, and the tone was firm. December, 5.40@5.50; March, 5.75@5.80; April, 5.80; May, 5.90@5.95; June, 7.05; July, 7.05@7.10; September, 7.25@7.30. Sugar, raw firm; refined steady.

Visible Grain Supply.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The visible supply of grain, Saturday, November 23, as compiled by the New York Produce Exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 43,912,000 bushels; increase 3,225,000. Corn, 11,454,000 bushels; decrease 681,-000. Oats, 6,492,000 bushels; decrease 98,000. Rye, 2,160,000 bushels; increase 379,000. Barley, 2,570,000 bushels; decrease 58,000 bushels.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Trading in the market for evaporated apples was active and the feeling generally steady. State, common to good, 6@8½; prime, 9½; choice, 9½@9¾; fancy, 10@10¾. California dried fruits were quiet. Prunes, 3¾@7. Apricots, Royal, 8@9½; Moorpark, 9@12. Peaches, peeled, 11@13; unpeeled, 6@8½.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Butter—Receipts, 4334 packages; firm; State dairy, 16@23; creamery, 17@23½; June creamery, 19@23; factory, 13@19¾. Eggs—Receipts, 1434 packages; steady; State and Pennsylvania, 26@27; western, at mark, 21@26; southern, at market, 26@27.

New York Sugar.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3¾; centrifugal, 96 test, 4¾; molasses sugar, 3; refined, steady; crushed, 5.60; powdered, 5.00; granulated, 4.90.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 25.—Wool quiet; Territory and western medium, 14@19½; fine, 11@15½; coarse, 11@14½.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

TACOMA (Wash.) Nov. 25.—Wheat, quiet and steady; blue stem, 69; club, 58.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Cotton closed quiet; two points lower.

Oil Transactions.

OIL CITY (Pa.) Nov. 25.—Credit balances, 1.30; certificates, no bid.

London Silver.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—Consols, 91¾; silver, 25⅝.

EASTERN LIVE-STOCK MARKETS.

OMAHA CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OMAHA, Nov. 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 4200; strong for best; easier on common; native beef steers, 3.75@5.75; western steers, 3.50@5.15; Texas steers, 2.50@4.40; cows and heifers, 2.80@4.25; canners, 1.25@2.75; stockers and feeders, 2.75@4.40; calves, 3.00@5.25; bulls, stags, etc., 2.00@4.00. Hogs—Receipts, 3600; 10 to 15 cents higher; heavy, 5.50@5.90; mixed, 5.75@5.80; light, 5.60@5.80; pigs, 4.50@5.50; bulk of sales, 5.75@5.80. Sheep—Receipts, 3100; steady; fed muttons, 3.50@3.90; grass wethers, 3.00@3.30; grass lambs, 3.50@4.25; ewes, 2.50@3.00; common and stock sheep, 2.00@2.75.

Chicago Live-Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 23,000, including 500 westerns; good to choice 10c higher; others steady; good to prime, 6.25@7.00; poor to medium, 3.75@6.00; stockers and feeders, 2.50@4.00; cows, 1.25@4.75; heifers, 1.75@5.00; canners, 1.25@2.25; bulls, 1.60@4.50; calves, 3.50@6.25; western steers, 3.40@4.85. Hogs—Receipts today, 42,000; tomorrow, 40,000; left over, 4000; 10 to 15c higher; closed easy; mixed and butchers', 5.55@5.85; good to choice heavy, 5.45@5.65; rough heavy, 5.40@5.50; light, 5.00@5.60; bulk of sales, 5.50@5.75. Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; strong to 10c higher; lambs, good to fair, strong to 10c higher; good to choice wethers, 3.40@4.15; fair to choice mixed, 2.75@3.40; western sheep, 3.00@3.60; native lambs, 3.50@4.75; western lambs, feeders, 3.50@4.15.

Kansas City Live-stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 5000; strong to 10c higher; Texas and Indian steers, 2.90@4.25; Texas cows, 2.00@3.00; native cows and heifers, 2.50@4.50; stockers and feeders, 2.75@4.25; bulls, 2.00@3.25; calves, 3.00@5.25. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; 10 to 15c higher; bulk of sales, 5.50@5.80; heavy, 5.55@5.80; packers, 5.75@5.85; medium, 5.50@5.80; light, 5.10@5.80; pigs, 4.00@5.00. Sheep—Receipts, 1000; steady; muttons, 3.00@4.00; lambs, 4.00@4.65; yearlings, 3.50@4.00; wethers, 3.10@3.80; ewes, 2.75@3.35.

Denver Live-Stock Market.

DENVER, Nov. 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 1700; slow; beef steers, 3.75@4.65; cows, 2.50@3.65; feeders, freight paid to river, 3.75@4.10; stockers, freight paid, 3.50@4.00; bulls, stags, etc., 1.50@3.00. Hogs—Receipts, 150; higher; light packers, 5.70@5.80; mixed, 5.75@5.85; heavy, 4.75@4.85. Sheep—Receipts, 4800; firm; good fat muttons, 3.00@3.50; lambs, 3.50@4.00.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—Wheat steady on call and firm spot market. Barley futures quiet; spot barley steady. Oats quiet, but steady. Hay steady. Bran and middlings easy. Beans steady. Butter weaker. Cheese and eggs firm. Cranberries steady. Fancy apples and grapes firm. Oranges weaker. Potatoes and onions firm. Tomatoes steady. Fancy cucumbers higher. Mushrooms weaker. Choice dressed turkeys steady.

CLOSING PRICES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—Flour—Net cash prices for family extras, 4.25@4.40 per bbl.; bakers, 3.25@3.30; Oregon and Washington, 3.65@3.85.

Wheat—Milling, 1.62½@1.65 per ctl.

Barley—Feed, 72½@75c per ctl.; brewing, 77½@80; Chevalier, 90@1.00.

Oats—Red, 1.47½@1.57½ per ctl.; white, 1.55@1.65; black, 1.00@1.20.

Corn — Large yellow, 1.60@1.62½ per ctl. in sacks, and 1.55 in bulk; 66 mixed, 1.50@1.52½.

Hay—Wheat, 10@12.00 per ton; wheat and oat, 8.50@11.00; barley and oat, 6.00@8.00; oat, 6.50@8.00 for wild and 7.00@9.00 for tame; barley, 6.00@7.50; alfalfa, 7.00@9.00; clover, 5.50@7.50; volunteer, 5.00@6.50.

Straw—27½@47½c per bale.

Millstuffs — Middlings, 18.50@19.50 per ton; mixed feed, 16.00@17.00; rolled barley, 16.00@17.00; oatmeal, 4.00@5.00 per 100 lbs.; cornmeal, 3.50; rolled oats, 6.50@6.75 for wool, and 6.50@6.75 for sacks.

Beans—Limas, 4.75@4.75 per sack; small white, 3.00@3.25; large white, 2.90@3.10; pink, 2.00@2.25.

Potatoes — River Burbanks, 80@1.10

ARIZONA.

WORKING FOR STATEHOOD.

Phoenix Board of Trade Still Hopeful.

Dog-in-manger Policy of Union at Globe.

Territorial Rangers Are Busy Rounding Up Rustlers—Rich Find.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Nov. 22.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The center of the agitation for Statehood for Arizona now appears to be within the organization of the Phoenix and Maricopa County Board of Trade, the same body through which was called the Statehood convention of several weeks ago. A committee of 100 citizens of Maricopa county has been selected, with J. M. Ford, president of the Board of Trade, as its head. This committee has selected, as an executive committee, N. A. Morford, Vernon L. Clark, E. B. O'Neill, W. H. Robinson, J. M. Woy, J. W. McCormick, Simms Ely, C. H. Davidson and J. M. Burnett. The sub-committee has begun work briskly, particularly in the line of securing similar organizations elsewhere in the Territory and of the promotion of the writing of letters by Arizonans to Congressmen and others whose voice might tend toward the consummation desired.

Another work that the Board of Trade has entered into with enthusiasm is the securing of a beet-sugar factory for the Salt River Valley. It is designed to erect the factory not far from Glendale. A substantial bonus is demanded by the Eastern Sugar Factory Company, mainly in the shape of land. B. A. Fowler, representing the Board of Trade, reports that, the subsidy demanded has practically been assured and that little further effort will be needed to fill all the terms imposed by the representatives of the corporation. The land near Glendale is believed to be of the best for the raising of sugar beets. A feature of special value in this valley is that the beets need to be irrigated only during the months wherein Salt River has its strongest flow. Those who have looked into the matter the most deeply are the most enthusiastic and predict that sugar beets will eventually be as profitable as alfalfa to the farmers of the Salt River Valley.

CHARTER ELECTION.

December 17 the city of Phoenix will hold an election for the purpose of passing upon the new charter authorized by the last Legislature. There seems little doubt that the charter will carry. The document was evolved by a committee of the Board of Trade, which spent several months in its preparation. It is presumed to cover every point upon which the present charter is weak. It also provides for a half dozen new officers, not including an extra Alderman from each of the wards, provision being made for additional wards when needed.

PHOENIX BREVITIES.

Phoenix, with $22,000 derived from the sale of school bonds, will build three more primary school buildings; one at Five Points, in the northwestern part of the city, another in Churchill addition, in the northeastern part and the third in the southern part.

Delegates to the fifth annual convention of the National Live Stock Association have been appointed by Gov. Murphy as follows: James E. Bark, H. C. Hooker and E. S. Gosney. The convention opens December 3 in Chicago.

Gov. Murphy has issued a call to the people of Arizona asking contributions to the McKinley memorials at Canton and in Washington, and has appointed C. J. Hall, cashier of the Phoenix National Bank, as treasurer for the Arizona fund.

Dr. J. Diaz Prieto, Mexican Consul at Phoenix for the past two years, has been promoted to the consulate at Cincinnati. Augustine Pina, Mexican Consul at Los Angeles, will fill the vacancy caused by this promotion.

A suit involving about $65,000 was recently filed in the District Court against J. Diaz Prieto and the Phoenix National Bank by the Sonora Development Company. The trouble grew out of Mr. Prieto's failure to secure the extension of an option on concessions from the Mexican government of several millions of acres of land in Sonora.

A new Catholic Church is soon to be erected in this place. The plans were prepared by a Los Angeles architect, and represent a building to cost at least $40,000.

The Territorial tournament of associated gun clubs will be held here on November 26, 27 and 28. A new trap house and grounds have been put in place for the occasion. After the close of the tournament a match for $500 a side will be shot between D. D. McDonald of Prescott and Joseph H. Holmes of Kingman.

The Phoenix Electric Light Company's line of power transmission has been completed, and transmission of power will be begun in about a month. E. M. Lamson has been elected captain of Co. B, National Guard of Arizona.

A marriage license was issued recently to Edward Van Tassel Sens and Emma Maria Gray. The couple are of Los Angeles.

Articles of incorporation of the Provence Mountain Mining Company have been filed. The capital stock is $3,000,000; the incorporators are C. A. Stilson, J. K. Worman, E. E. Hall, C. Geldmacher of Los Angeles.

There are on exhibit at the Board of Trade rooms two sweet potatoes grown near Phoenix. One weighs fourteen pounds, the other twenty-three pounds.

GLOBE.

MEDDLING LABOR UNION.

GLOBE (Ariz.) Nov. 23.—[Special Correspondence.] Members of the Globe Miners' Union, not content with administering upon the labor questions of the local mines, have reached out after the road building of the county. The trouble is over a road being built by the Columbia Copper Company, four miles in length, to claims of the company located in Lyon's Mountain in the foothills of the Pinal Mountains. P. J. Cole, superintendent of the Columbia's company's properties, was ordered to secure the building of the road by white labor. A local contractor named Jones, more or less identified with the Miners' Union, put in a bid for the work, after being definitely informed by Mr. Cole that any bid would be accepted that approached within $500 of the estimate of the engineer. Jones bid double the engineer's estimate, so the bid was thrown out. Another white man appearing, application was made to Agent Corson at San Carlos, in charge of the White Mountain apache reservation, for about one hundred Indians to be employed upon the road as laborers. The Indians are now at work and have established a goodly-sized camp, as many of them are accompanied by their squaws and families.

Much feeling is manifested over the matter here. A petition with over one hundred names was sent to the Indian agent, asking the withdrawal of the Indians. The agent telegraphed the department at Washington, and in return received a message from Secretary Hitchcock to the effect that "the department expected the Territorial and county officials to fully protect peaceable Indians while engaged in work for mine owners."

Two public meetings have been held to protest, but the union has decided not to support Jones in the proposition to boycott the Columbia claims, because of the Indians. At the first meeting a number of miners insisted that force be used to compel the Indians to return to the reservation. There were also some who wildly favored the plan of giving Superintendent Cole a ride on a rail when he came to town, much after the fashion by which the miners treated Representative "Bill" Beard because of his attitude on the eight-hour act. At the second meeting a committee was appointed, headed by G. W. P. Hunt, for the purpose of drafting a telegram to President Roosevelt, protesting against the competition of Indians with white labor.

PRESCOTT.

MOTHER LEDGE FOUND.

PRESCOTT (Ariz.) Nov. 22.—[Regular Correspondence.] Sheriff Munds, W. W. Munds, T. W. Kyle and George A. Beach have found what they believe to be the mother ledge, whence came the great copper sulphide deposit in Copper Basin. The basin has been a puzzle to geologists for many years. Upon it, in a cup, is a mass of copper sulphide of known dimensions, wholly owned by Phelps-Dodge & Co. It is of peculiar composition and defies reduction by any but expensive leaching processes. Consequently, it has practically been abandoned for years. Efforts have been made to find the mother dike whence the outflow might have come, and it is now believed that the Munds and their associates have discovered it. The dike is fully several hundred feet in width, and well defined, yet was so well covered with trap rock and brush as to have passed unnoticed during the years. The ledge is now being developed by a company formed for the purpose.

IN OTHER MINES.

At Mayer, south of Prescott, is being operated a novel placer mining process, comprising a dredger with a capacity of one and one-quarter yards of gravel per minute. The gold-bearing earth is dumped into peculiarly-shaped rifle channels, the gold being caught in cocoa matting covering the bottom of discharge pan, whence the dirt is taken by a series of buckets on an endless chain. Much of the water is saved, and used over again.

The Colorado River Gold and Copper Company, a Los Angeles corporation, will build a ten-ton smelter on its property in Empire Flat district on the Colorado River, above Parker. The furnace will be under the charge of J. A. Scheiberger of San Pedro.

Ore running $3000 a ton in gold has been found in the Midnight Test mine in Groom Creek district, a few miles south of Prescott. One day's digging at the bottom of the 350-foot shaft realized ore worth $1000. The ore body is about five feet wide. The mine sold last year for $30,000, and is believed to be worth fully $1,000,000 at the present time.

Nothing appears to have been done at Vulture by the company that made such large promises for the reopening of the famous old mine. It is understood that stock to the amount of $500,000 was sold in the East, mainly through flaring advertisements in the New York daily papers. No information has come of the payment of the second installment, due on the mine October 1, and it is believed to have lapsed. G. W. Sanders, representing the new Vulture company, has been running a cyanide plant on the tailings of the old Vulture mill, but that has been the only work performed. Old miners are confident that wealth is still to be found in the Vulture ledge, but it will take many thousands of dollars to secure it. The upper workings are in a state of absolute collapse, where the rich ore was "gophered" and where the pillars were robbed. To work the mine it will be necessary to sink a shaft fully 1000 feet deep, at a point north of the old workings, where the dip of the ledge will be encountered. The ledge is a strong and well-defined one, and carries fair values, in slightly sulphureted form, at the lowest of the old workings, 450 feet on the incline from the surface, 212 feet deep.

Dist.-Atty. Edwards and J. W. Walker of Phoenix have bonded the Powell claims, twelve miles north of Wickenburg. Their main ledge varies from four to eleven feet in width, the values of gold and silver running up to $100 a ton. If the bond is taken up, the purchasers will erect a stamp mill on the property at once.

The Del Rio Smelting Company of Arizona has purchased two farms at Del Rio, north of Prescott, with the water rights appurtenant thereto. From Del Rio comes the water supply of Prescott, and the water rights purchased by the smelter company cover that part of the water not used in Prescott. The Del Rio Smelting Company is understood to be little more than a branch corporation of the Arizona Blue Bell Copper Mining Company, which has valuable properties near Mayer, in Big Bug district, adjacent to the Prescott and Eastern Railway, over which the ores can be readily brought to the new smelter site.

Very rich and very base copper ore has been found in the lower tunnel of the Brookshire mine, near Jerome. Considerable water has been tapped as well. As is the case in the lower levels of the United Verde, near by, the water is little more than dilute sulphuric acid, carrying copper in solution. The fluid burns the flesh and destroys the clothing of the miners who work in the tunnel.

TUCSON.

ARMED GUARDS WITHDRAWN.

TUCSON (Ariz.) Nov. 22.—[Regular Correspondence.] It is understood that the Southern Pacific has withdrawn its armed men from Deming and Lordsburg, and that the matter of the railroad crossing will be left to the courts of New Mexico. The connection with the Southern Pacific at Deming is still torn out and several hundred cars, mainly belonging to the Southern Pacific and Santa Fé systems, are thus corralled south of Deming on the new Bisbee line.

Despite all warlike and legal complications, the Bisbee people are still laying track with all vigor. The track is now several miles beyond Silver Creek, and will soon be over into New Mexico. In the Benson yards, consigned to the Bisbee road, are over three hundred cars, loaded with mining and railroad supplies, notwithstanding the fact that over sixty carloads a day are being taken out of Benson to Bisbee and to the construction camps.

Robert A. Clowery of Chicago, vice-president and general manager of the Western Union, and Pacific Coast Manager Frank Jaynes of San Francisco, have been taking in the new Bisbee road, and it is understood have arranged for the absorption of the new road's telegraph lines when construction shall have been completed to El Paso.

AMONG THE MAN HUNTERS.

Even more than the usual budget of highly-spiced criminal news has come from the border line during the past week. The new force of Arizona rangers has been doing a little bit of history making, beginning with the accidental discharge of the pistol of a ranger, Leonard Page, in a crowded Bisbee saloon, fortunately, with the infliction of no bodily harm. Then, Bert Grover, one of the chief men of the force, was laid up at Naco with a bullet wound in his leg, inflicted by his own revolver. This little contretemps ensued from a dispute with Richard Stanton, a private in the troop under Grover's command. Grover had tried to stop an altercation between Stanton and another ranger named Holland. Stanton reached for his revolver, Ranger Leonard Page wrested the revolver away, when Stanton attempted to use his rifle. He was prevented, however, by Grover, who knocked him down and stood over him, pistol in hand. In some way Grover's pistol hand was struck and his weapon accidentally discharged. The wound is not a serious one.

Rangers Grover and Page lately captured two "rustlers," who gave their names as James Head and William Williams. The fellows were caught in the very act of killing a range steer, the property of the Cummings Cattle Company. Head and Williams were promptly fined $300 each for the offense and were temporarily placed in the ramshackel calaboose at Bisbee, pending escort to Tombstone, where they were to serve out the fine at the rate of a dollar a day. That same night they dug their way out and left for parts unknown. This is about the tenth escape from this jail.

Considerable friction is manifest between the American cattlemen and Mexican officers near Naco. It is alleged that the Mexican cattle inspector is seizing American cattle upon pretended violations of laws which really have not been infringed in the least. Two American cattlemen, Gates and Rhodes, claim to have been virtually outlawed in Mexico, and have sought the assistance of the Arizona rangers.

It is understood that Capt. Mossman of the rangers and Lieut.-Col. Kosterliski of the Mexican frontier guards have arranged that either organization shall have the privilege of chasing outlaws across the border whenever necessary, and that they shall work in unison, with the definite object of ridding the Southwest of the "rustler" element. A large squadron of rurales has been stationed at Naco.

At Naco last Sunday a Mexican was robbed upon a main street by two mounted men who fled toward the eastward, ineffectually pursued by the rangers.

James T. Bently, wanted at El Paso for stealing several hundred dollars worth of guns from a hardware store, has been apprehended in Bisbee.

George Bernard, a miner working claims on the Tombstone road, eight miles from Bisbee, was shot a few days ago from ambush and badly wounded in the thigh. There seems to be no direct evidence concerning the miscreant, but three men, by name Overacker, Johnson and Pearce, were within a short distance of Bernard at the time he was shot and by some are accused of a knowledge of the crime. The three are interested in a litigation adversely to Bernard.

C. Wedeke, lately seriously shot at Bisbee in a row with his neighbor, Seymour, is, to the surprise of his physicians, recovering, and is considered out of danger.

TUSCON BREVITIES.

The Los Angeles and El Paso Railway mail run has been divided at Tucson, following upon the change that divided the Los Angeles and Albuquerque run at Ash Fork. Ten clerks are to run between Tucson and Los Angeles and eight between El Paso and Tucson.

Borings are being prosecuted at Douglas by the Copper Queen company and by the Calumet and Arizona Copper Company, both of Bisbee, for the purpose of developing a water supply, with the anticipation of putting the smelting works of both corporations at the border town. Douglas is improving rapidly. A local telephone service is being installed, to connect with the long-distance line of the Bisbee Improvement Company. The Douglas Townsite Company has developed something like 300,000 gallons of water a day and is now engaged in laying pipes through the main streets of the town. The new El Paso and Southwestern passenger depot is nearly ready for occupancy, and several hotels, lodging-houses and private dwellings are nearing completion.

William Carter and T. H. Saundercock, miners, charged with the theft of ore from the Commonwealth mine, have been held in Tucson to await the action of the grand jury under bonds of $1250 each.

R. A. Johnson has been transferred from the deputy collectorship at Lochiel to the charge of the Douglas office, and has been succeeded by Milton Buttels, late of Douglas. W. W. Carpenter, late of Cincinnati, has been added to the force of inspectors at Nogales.

The jury called to pass upon the valuation of block 207, sought to be condemned by the city of Tucson for the widening and improvement of the town's main thoroughfare, Congress street, has turned in its verdict, assessing damages at $20,690. Of this amount $19,000 is credited to Louisa J. Sanford, owner of the realty. It is understood that an appeal will be taken from the verdict.

Orange, San Bernardino and Santa Barbara.

BITTER LIQUOR CASE IN ORANGE COUNTY.

FULLERTON MAN CHARGED WITH VIOLATING ORDINANCE.

Cruel Drivers Pay a Fine, and Damages to Owner of Team—Powder Used to Clean Chimney Fails to Go Up the Flue.

SANTA ANA, Nov. 25.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] What promises to be a bitterly-contested case was begun in Justice Willson's court today. B. M. Green of Fullerton is charged with violating the new county liquor ordinance. The entire day was consumed in the selection of jurors, and out of the panel of twenty-four, but five were selected. An adjournment was then taken until tomorrow, when a special venire will be worked up. The liquor interests are represented by Attorneys George Adams and C. S. McKelvey of Los Angeles and H. C. Head of Fullerton, and the people by the District Attorney and Edwin F. Hahn, Esq., of Pasadena, who represents the Anti-Saloon League. The defendant, B. M. Green, has for some time past been in the employ of C. B. Huggans of Fullerton, who was recently fined for violating the county liquor ordinance.

PAY FOR MEANNESS.

Roy Andre and S. Shellanbarger have just paid the owner of a team of horses, driven almost to death last week, $100 as damages. Only a few days ago the boys paid $25 on charges preferred by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, for the same offence. They hired the team from a livery stable in this city and drove to Los Angeles and other places, apparently at a break-neck gait, with the result that one of the animals probably never will recover from the effects of the trip, while the other one will not be as good again as before. The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is considerably aroused over this affair and it proposes to vigorously prosecute any similar cases in the future.

BURNED WITH POWDER.

J. A. Turner of North Main street was burned on the head and face while cleaning out a chimney with gunpowder. He had placed what he believed was a small amount of powder in the top of his stove and touched it off with a four-foot hot wire to blow the soot out of chimney. The force of the explosion came out of the top of the stove instead of going up the flue, and Turner is minus a set of eyelashes, as well as eyebrows. His face was painfully injured.

SANTA ANA BREVITIES.

D. M. Baker and wife returned yesterday from San Francisco. Mr. Baker has had to submit to another operation for cancer of the throat. He attended the Chinese Exclusion Convention as a delegate from Santa Ana.

R. N. Sugg is entertaining Mrs. C. A. Huffman, Miss Edith Swartz and Mrs. Talbert, who arrived yesterday to spend the winter.

A game of baseball yesterday between the Santa Ana and Tustin nines resulted in a victory for the Tustin lads, 14 to 4.

County Clerk W. A. Beckett is entertaining his mother, who arrived yesterday from Woodstock, Can.

Mrs. C. F. Grim is entertaining her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Crowley, of Pottsdam, N. Y.

J. E. Parker has sold a ranch of twenty acres near Orange to Anthony Browne for $8500.

Mrs. F. A. Rice is enjoying a visit from Mrs. R. Lameris and daughter from the East.

John Huttenlocher returned yesterday from a visit of several months in the East.

Mrs. C. E. Rice of Pomona is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. Cleaver.

F. D. Hunt, Esq., left today for Las Cruces, N. M., to make his future home.

Mrs. B. F. Morehouse is entertaining Miss Florine Gunn of Healdsburg.

FULLERTON.

FLAG FOR THE SCHOOLS.

FULLERTON, Nov. 25.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] Friday evening the Women's Relief Corps will give a musical and literary entertainment to raise funds to purchase a silk flag for the grammar schools; the Fraternal Brotherhood will give a public entertainment and supper Wednesday evening, December 4; there will be one or two socials in town Thursday evening, and the Foresters of America Lodge has announced an invitation ball for New Year's eve.

FULLERTON BREVITIES.

P. A. Schumacher has sold the Chet Holcomb residence to Elmer Ford, for $2000.

P. C. Huddleston has purchased three residence lots east of the St. George Hotel.

A rural route agent has been here several days making one or two slight changes in routes Nos. 1 and 2, and he may establish a third route from Fullerton by the first of the year.

W. J. Hole returned last night from a business trip to San Francisco.

At the last meeting of Malvern Hill W.R.C., Mrs. A. C. Drake, the president, presented the corps with a handsome gavel.

The Placentia Association will begin shipping new-crop oranges early in December.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Aldrich of La Habra have been entertaining company from Pasadena.

F. Schrott is building a residence at La Habra.

Good coal is selling in Santiago Cañon at from $3 to $5.

Mrs. Wyman of Kansas City, Mo., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Varney of La Habra Valley.

Early in December the water company will clean its reservoir and ditches and do a lot of repair work, which will cost nearly $4000.

BOLSA.

NEWS BREVITIES.

BOLSA, Nov. 25.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] James K. Ross, aged 73, died Friday, leaving a widow and five children. Four years ago Mr. Ross came from Santa Barbara county, and since then had resided in Bolsa. The funeral services were held Saturday, Rev. Mr. Bennett officiating. The funeral was largely attended.

Some time ago Rev. Mr. Bennett came here from Texas, for the benefit of his health. He bought the old Mills place, and sent for his wife and family. Upon trial this climate did not have the effect expected, and now he has sold his place, and he and his family will go to Redlands.

The Epworth League of Bolsa was reorganized about six weeks ago, with a membership of over twenty. Since then the league has held a meeting every Sunday evening. These meetings have been largely attended, and the interest does not seem to be failing.

The Ladies' Aid Society has planned an entertainment for Thanksgiving evening. It is to be a recital by the Lilliputian sisters of Santa Ana, Sara and Lucy Adams, and is to be held in the Bolsa schoolhouse.

Services will be held in the church at Bolsa, on Thanksgiving morning.

REDLANDS.

SCHOOL ATHLETICS.

REDLANDS, Nov. 25.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The school board has provided a room for the Athletic Association of the High School, with lockers and shower baths. Special attention is given to athletics this season, and many of the pupils may be seen each afternoon playing tennis, basket ball and football.

REDLANDS BREVITIES.

The Loyal Temperance Legion held a well-attended meeting at the Baptist Church yesterday afternoon. Recitations and songs were well rendered. Mrs. Mary Igo was in charge.

Trinity Settlement was opened this morning, with all available tents filled. The board of managers is busy today trying to provide more tents and outfits. Five will be added at once to satisfy the demand. The following-named physicians compose the medical board, and will give personal attention to the inmates of the settlement: Drs. Wynne, Tyler, Sanborn, Hill and Blythe.

Thanksgiving services will be held at Trinity Church, which will be decorated with large quantities of flowers. After the service these will be given to the sick, and used in decorating the rooms at the settlement.

F. G. Feraud is building a warehouse opposite the Southern Pacific depot, to be used by John W. Edwards for storage purposes.

A. P. Wetterauer, who was seriously hurt in a locomobile accident a few weeks ago, will return to Los Angeles tomorrow, on his way to San Francisco.

E. S. Libby has returned from an eastern tour of five months.

A party consisting of C. C. Gibbons, H. G. R. Philp, F. B. Silverwood, J. E. McIntyre, George W. Black, and J. H. Wilson, piloted by Irving R. Smith, arrived yesterday morning from Los Angeles. The day was spent in looking at the beauties of the city, and dinner was taken at the Casa Loma. The hotel management extended many courtesies to the party, and the dinner was pronounced "just elegant."

The following-named from Los Angeles are registered at the Windsor today: J. D. Bercereau, A. W. Lunceford, F. C. White, J. H. Nightingale, Mayron Springer, R. F. Foster and Carrie S. Eldredge.

ONTARIO.

NEWS BREVITIES.

ONTARIO, Nov. 25.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] Rev. Dr. James Davies of the Congregational Church of San Bernardino, who is said to be the finest pulpit orator in the denomination now occupying a western pulpit, preached in the First Congregational Church here yesterday morning and evening. A very large audience gathered each time to hear him. Rev. R. B. Larkin exchanged pulpits with Dr. Davies.

The regular union Thanksgiving service will be held in the Methodist Church next Thursday at 10 a.m., Rev. W. F. Binney of the Baptist Church preaching.

The following are the delegates from the Methodist Sunday-school of Ontario to the County Sunday-school Convention at San Bernardino this week: Dr. W. W. Cookman, J. R. Pollock, N. Eaton, Daniel Taylor; Mmes. J. C. Snodgrass, R. O. Brackenridge, O. H. Olver, A. N. Clark and John Garbutt.

G street, from Euclid avenue to the cemetery, one mile, is being graded and put in good condition for travel.

Mr. Wallene of Ontario has purchased a $14,000 orange orchard on Fourteenth street, and will build a $5000 residence on it at once.

SANTA BARBARA.

BREVITIES OF NEWS.

SANTA BARBARA, Nov. 25.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] There are shown here specimens of green citron of commerce. The fruit is from the ranch of Mr. Thurmond of Carpinteria, formerly County School Superintendent. Several of these specimens weigh five pounds each. Mr. Thurmond has several thousand young trees. He sells the fruit to Bishop & Co., of Los Angeles, when it is preserved for the trade. The price here is 2 cents a pound, green.

A party is being organized here to go to Santa Rosa Island to hunt geese. The launch Peerless has been engaged for the trip. It is reported that ducks and geese are plentiful on the island, and those who have been there state that there is much rare sport.

The steamer Corona arrived from San Francisco this morning, leaving fifteen tons of freight. At 5 o'clock the Santa Rosa arrived, also from San Francisco, leaving twenty-five tons of freight and fifteen passengers, and taking seven passengers southward.

A land mark is being reconstructed and modernized. The old Congregational Church, a brick structure in the lower part of the city, is having its spire removed, and additions and improvements made so as to convert it into a business house. About $1500 is being expended on the alterations.

There is a building boom here. Mrs. Lord has a cottage almost completed in the upper part of the city; on Upper State street near the Arlington, the Catholic parish is building extensive greenhouses, covering an acre; the Lazier cottage on the hill near the old Mission, is completed, and is a handsome stone and frame structure; a very large building on Upper State street is being erected for a residence for Judge W. H. Aikin, and is nearly finished; Mrs. Rainey's twelve-room addition to her Santa Barbara-street boarding-house is nearing completion. W. B. Mower & Co., furniture dealers, are out $100, stolen from their office on Saturday evening. A man working for the firm is suspected and has gone. The police went to Ventura yesterday to arrest a man answering the description, but he proved to be somebody else.

Rheumatism

Rheumatic pains are the cries of protest and distress from tortured muscles, aching joints and excited nerves. The blood has been poisoned by the accumulation of waste matter in the system, and can no longer supply the pure and health sustaining food they require. The whole system feels the effect of this acid poison; and not until the blood has been purified and brought back to a healthy condition will the aches and pains cease.

Mrs. James Kell, of 707 Ninth street, N. E., Washington, D. C., writes as follows: "A few months ago I had an attack of Sciatic Rheumatism in its worst form. The pain was so intense that I became completely prostrated. The attack was an unusually severe one, and my condition was regarded as being very dangerous. I was attended by one of the best physicians in Washington, who is also a member of the faculty of a leading medical college here. He told me to continue his prescriptions and I would get well. After having it filled twelve times without receiving the slightest benefit, I decided to continue his treatment any longer. Having heard of S. S. S. (Swift's Specific) recommended for Rheumatism, I decided, almost in despair however, to give the medicine a trial, and after I had taken a few bottles I was able to hobble around on crutches, and very soon thereafter had no use for them at all. S. S. S. having cured me entirely and well. All the distressing pains have left me, my appetite has returned, and I am happy to be again restored to perfect health.

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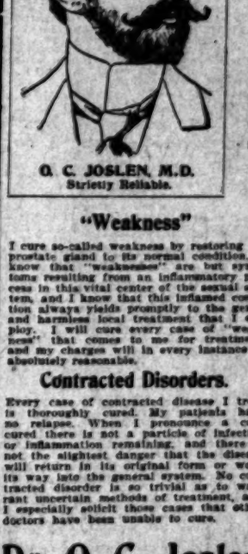

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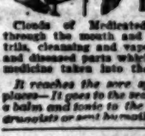

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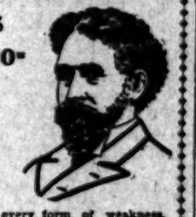

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What Hotel Pintoresca Will Be Thankful for on Opening Day—John Chinaman Thinks There's Something Wrong With the Government—Runaway Accident.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 78 South Raymond avenue, Nov. 25.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] Those fellows about town with their arms in slings were not in the wreck near Needles. They are only Elks and Maccabees, who have been practicing baseball preparatory to the great game to be played on Thanksgiving morning at the Terminal grounds. They are all old-timers at the game, and they "haven't touched a baseball for five years." They look forward to lots of fun next Thursday, if their arms get well by that time. The Maccabees issued the challenge, and the Elks accepted it. Though the challenging team has had the more experience of late, the challengees propose to make up for this by their elaborate preparations, as the following caste of Elks will show: Allen Jones, catcher; Henry Gentry and E. F. Kohler, pitchers; R. H. Miller, first base; Ed Compton, second base; W. L. Lippencott, third base; W. H. Smith, shortstop; Robert Lacey, left field; Thad Morrison, center field; J. B. Rowray, right field; substitutes, E. R. Braley, F. A. Coty, Sam Hill; physicians for taking care of the wounded, Dr. F. C. E. Mattieson, Dr. W. H. Ballard, Dr. A. G. Smith; legal advisers, Charles Sutton, Norman Williams, Ben Hahn and James McLachlan; guardians of the field, Chief of Police Freeman and Officer J. O. Reynolds; undertaker in case of need, C. C. Reynolds; "water" carriers, Max Dixon, A. W. McDowell; poet laureate, W. S. Melick.

The Maccabees say they're just going to play ball. They have not located all their players as yet. So far as stationed they are: Fred Applegate, pitcher; John Westring, catcher; Frank Heydenrich, shortstop; F. S. Thornburg, first base; A. C. Shaver, second base; H. H. Webb, C. S. Heiser, R. H. Sherk, fielders; D. T. Reynolds, J. R. Vore and W. S. Robinson, substitutes.

HOTEL MANAGER ARRIVES.

Manager A. F. Meserve of Hotel La Pintoresca has arrived from New Hampshire, and will open the hotel for the winter season on Thursday, Thanksgiving Day. Besides the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Meserve, the big hotel will give thanks for very prosperous prospects and some extensive improvements accomplished during the closed season. The office has been enlarged and two big windows added, and the ceiling has been prettily decorated with electric lights and fresco work.

Twenty-five employés arrived with the manager. The front clerk is A. E. Carpenter of the Garden City Hotel, Long Island; cashier and book-keeper, Miss Edna Eastman; chef, F. C. Travers, Boston; head waiter, Charles Conrad. Mr. Meserve corroborates all previous stories about the great coming tourist season. Already bookings have been made and rooms engaged in advance.

BUILT A BONFIRE.

Sue Wah of the First Laundry was arrested today for building a bonfire within the city limits, which is contrary to the provisions of the new ordinance. He didn't take kindly to the invitation to pay a fine. He was only burning some refuse near his store. "W'a's mallo?" he wanted to know. "Pleeceman say 'no clean up, get 'lested.' Me clean up, get 'lested. Think you heap bad. You try get China boy's money."

PASADENA BREVITIES.

J. A. Chamberlain was thrown from his wagon today near the Linda Vista bridge. He was knocked unconscious, but upon recovery found that his wounds were not serious. The accident was caused by the horse getting a bit of cactus in his hoof, which frightened him into running away.

The golf players are returning from the East, and the season will presently begin at the Country Club links. Among those who have returned after the fall exodus are H. T. Fuller, F. E. Wilcox and E. W. Hitchings. Others are expected very soon.

The Fraternal Aid Association will have a social for members Tuesday night in I.O.O.F. Hall. Several out-of-town lodges will be represented, and all local members are expected to attend.

Ex-Councilman Thomas C. Hoag and wife have returned from the East, after an absence oof a year and a half. They will reside on South Los Robles avenue.

Mrs. Slade and Mrs. Dillingham will entertain the Woman's League at the Universal Church Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Over five hundred voters have promised the "Committee of Sixteen" to vote for the bonds, and more are coming in.

W. H. Bryan is erecting three houses on North Fair Oaks avenue near Eureka street.

Tom Banbury, Jr., has arrived at Seattle from Nome, and is expected home soon.

Mme. Emma Calvé expects to return to San Francisco on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fraser have returned from New York.

A. F. Mills has recovered from an attack of the grip.

J. D. Lincoln has arrived from North Attleboro, Mass.

Miss Eva Brown has gone to Artesia for a week.

Steiner's City Market is the place for Thanksgiving turkeys. They will arrive this morning.

Drinks that suit the taste and weather at Heiser's.

Thanksgiving poultry at Halsted's. Best stock.

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Thanksgiving table line. Bon Accord.

Artist's materials at Wadsworth's.

Everything for Thanksgiving at McCament's.

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POMONA.

WHIST OFFICERS.

POMONA, Nov. 25.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The Union Whist Club has elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: W. H. Sanders, president; Mrs. E. Hinman, secretary and treasurer. New members elected this year are Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bichowsky and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bell.

POMONA BREVITIES.

Co. D is making an excellent record in the official State rifle practices. In three recent shoots Capt. T. B. Thomas scored a total of 215, and Sergt. W. E. Stevens, 209.

Mrs. T. A. Eisen, president of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church, Los Angeles diocese, and Miss Emma B. Grebe, secretary of the Junior Auxiliary and a deaconess of the church, are here and tomorrow evening will be at a general parish missionary meeting and reception at the home of Rev. C. J. French, corner Seventh and Louisa streets.

It is thought that a defective stove pipe was the cause of the fire which burned the ranch home of Spoor MacKey here on Saturday night. Mr. MacKey is undecided whether he will rebuild or go to Los Angeles.

Rev. Dr. T. C. Miller of the University of Southern California preached at the Methodist Church yesterday.

Rev. A. B. Case spoke at the Congregational Church yesterday upon "Spanish Missionary Work in Southern California."

The annual meeting of the Pomona Christian Endeavor Union and Epworth League will be held at the Baptist Church tomorrow evening.

SANTA CATALINA ISLAND.

STUDYING CALIFORNIA HISTORY.

AVALON, Nov. 25.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The Avalon Woman's Club, having decided to make a study of California's history during the winter, Prof. Frank Polley of Pasadena was invited to address the club at its meeting Saturday afternoon, with reference to the means of accomplishing the best results. The professor gave a spirited talk, and told what, in his estimation, is best to study and what to avoid, and at the next meeting, two weeks hence, a systematic course for the season's work will have been mapped out.

ISLAND BREVITIES.

The Queen took a picnic party to the Isthmus yesterday, consisting of Miss Elisa Scott of Santa Monica, A. W. Hixon and M. Williams of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Purdy of Avalon, M. Haig and John Haig of San Gabriel. The latter and Mr. Williams each found a nautilus shell, while others of the party procured starfish and abalone shells. Accompanying the party as far as White's Landing were four persons, who made the ascent of Mt. Black Jack and were picked up on the return trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wiggins returned to Los Angeles today, benefited greatly by the few days of quiet rest at Catalina. Mrs. Wiggins spent this forenoon visiting the schools, and to encourage the young misses who have started a club, climbed the hill to the "Eagle Aerie," and gave them good advice.

A. J. Witherell of Chicago, who, with his wife and son are staying at Hotel Metropole, and H. B. Manus, Jr., a young Hollander from Amsterdam, were fishing with the Magic Isle yesterday, and got eighteen albicore.

Dr. J. J. Choate of Los Angeles is entertaining an old school friend whom he has not met for many years, Dr. L. Renick of Butte, Mont., who is accompanied by his wife and Mrs. Mary Robertson, at Hotel Metropole.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Foote and Miss Mary L. Barton of Westfield, N. J., are at the Metropole.

Miss Mabel Joyce of Denver, Mrs. S. F. Guilford of Cleveland, O.; L. R. Mercedes and wife of Los Angeles, and C. H. Rose of Honolulu, are late arrivals at the Bay View.

NORWALK.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

NORWALK, Nov. 25.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] Greenigan & Chevalley, recently of Oregon, will open the cooperative creamery about December 1.

D. D. Johnston has contracted with N. L. Sells and Fred Rowell of Vineland to cut the wood in his eucalyptus grove, amounting to about fifteen thousand cords.

De Witt Swigart has returned this week from Alaska, where he spent several months with relatives.

Mrs. Ema Neal of St. Charles, Iowa, who has been visiting for several months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stiffler, was called suddenly home owing to the illness of one of her children.

Lot owners of Little Lake Cemetery have elected trustees as follows: Joel Cianton, R. H. Haddock, S. Biand, S. H. Neighbors, A. M. Sproule.

SIERRA MADRE.

PERSONAL MENTION.

SIERRA MADRE, Nov. 25.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson have returned from a three months' visit at Buffalo.

M. Olsen went to San Bernardino Friday evening to meet his wife and children on their return from Norway. He failed to meet them, and has not returned. He evidently missed them and is still looking for them. While Mrs. Olsen is anxiously waiting to see him, having arrived safely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Goodell of Los Angeles have come to Sierra Madre for the winter.

The Kennedy family of East Los Angeles held a reunion at the club headquarters on the Old Trail Saturday, Sunday and today to celebrate their daughter Ethel's return from two years' study and travel in Germany. Several others of the club members were present, among them Mr. Chase, who returned last week from Europe.

One of the interesting features of the Thanksgiving sports will be a ball game between the Monrovia and Sierra Madre nines.

CLAREMONT.

GOT OUT AND HOED.

CLAREMONT, Nov. 25.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] This was community day at Claremont, and the dean of the faculty and the preparatory student donned overalls and hoed weeds side by side. The idea of community day was brought here from New England, and the day has been observed nearly every fall since the founding of Pomona College. It is a cleaning-up day, and everyone, including the town people, students, preachers and faculty, get out and gather up the old tin cans, bailing wire, and papers which have accumulated during the year and haul them off to the wash. The utmost good nature prevails and witticisms are thrown with every stone. An extra effort is now being made to clean up Claremont for the reception of Dr. George Gates and family, who are expected the latter part of the week.

Edward Baxter Perry gave the first concert in the entertainment course this evening.

The members of the astronomy class are preparing records of the recent shower of leonids.

Claremont received many visitors the past week.

COLEGROVE.

AMATEUR HISTRIONICS.

COLEGROVE, Nov. 25.—[From The Times' Correspondent.] "A Scheme That Failed" was presented by local talent at the Colegrove Golf Club House Friday evening for the benefit of that club. Those who appeared in the skit are Miss Dowker, Miss Stephens, Miss Wade, Mr. Staples, Mr. Dunlop and Mr. Wade. The evening's programme also included a vocal solo by Miss Pinkham of Los Angeles, and one by Miss Dodge, a piano selection by Miss Wiley, and a reading by Tracy Robinson, late of Panama. The entertainment was followed by dancing.

SACRED HEART FAIR.

Opened Last Night by Mayor Snyder. Beautiful Booths, Fair Faces and Fine Programme.

"And have ye not heard of the fairs of Killarney?
Wives, showing so nately
New laces, complately;
Maids blushing in sweetness; men bouting in blarney."

Fairs on the "ould sod" may have been attractive in their day, but not in the same class with down-to-date functions of this sort. This one could easily discern last night at the brilliant opening of the annual bazaar of Sacred Heart parish of East Los Angeles.

Y.M.I. Hall on Downey avenue has been converted into a bower of beauty. Handsome booths line each side, and walls and stage are decorated in banks of greenery and flowers. "Standing room only" marked the beginning of this prominent event for East Side Catholics. Bishop Montgomery was unable to be present, and in a short address Rev. M. McAuliffe, pastor of Sacred Heart parish, introduced Mayor M. P. Snyder. The Mayor had just returned from a week at San Francisco, and spoke briefly on account of illness. He expressed his wishes for the success of the fair, and spoke of his desire for the general upbuilding of all denominations whose efforts were for the upbuilding of the higher life of the people. The orchestra from St. Joseph's parish, under the direction of Richard Wagner, gave several selections. Miss B. Hancock contributed readings, and an exhibition of fancy dancing was given by Miss Blithie Shores. Then followed a general round of the booths and refreshments.

The booths and their managers are as follows:

Ice cream—Mrs. L. C. Scheller, assisted by Mmes. F. J. Held, A. Schwamm, J. Le Sage, L. M. Schellert, R. Trepanier, J. C. Dutra, Misses Mamie and Maggie Brossart, Josephine Henry, Mollie Gillespie.

Doll booth—Mrs. Joseph Mesmer, assisted by Mme. C. E. Patterson and J. Connors.

Sacred Heart booth—Mrs. G. Reis, assisted by Mmes. J. Curtis, J. McChesney, R. Sharp, J. J. Caulfield, Misses Patterson, Curtis and Corderoy.

Candy booth—Mrs. N. A. McDonald, assisted by Mmes. P. White, Murphy, Tiley, Maize, Mockhaupt, McMakin and Miss Lindenfeld.

Fish pond—Mrs. Joseph Hanley, assisted by Mrs. P. J. Fleck.

Hat booth—Mrs. H. W. Leonard, assisted by Mmes. J. May, M. Corderoy, William Hanlon, Dr. P. S. Dougherty, Misses Adams, Ganahl, Catten, Ronan and Healey.

Soda booth—The Misses Horgan, assisted by Mmes. Peifer, Lucy, Benson, Byrne, Misses Lucy and Llavin.

Fancy goods—Mrs. M. G. Gonsales, assisted by Mmes. J. Abrams, F. A. Heim, B. Gibbons, Misses Lizzie and Kate Morris and Miss Shearon.

Since Rev. M. McAuliffe's transfer from the Cathedral to the pastorate of Sacred Heart parish, he has succeeded in raising over $5000 to apply on the church debt. There yet remains $6000 to raise, and the proceeds of this fair are for this purpose. Excellent programmes have been arranged for each night during the week.

DRAGGED BY A CAR.

Mrs. Bertha Frowein Thrown from Her Wheel and Almost Killed at Twelfth and Central Avenue.

Mrs. Bertha Frowein, whose home is at No. 1226 Ivy street, was seriously injured under the wheels of a Central avenue electric car at 9:45 o'clock last night, near the intersection of that thoroughfare with Twelfth street. She was riding south on her wheel, between the street-car tracks, when a car approached her from behind. In her hurry to turn aside until the car passed her she forgot on which track the car was running, and instead of turning to the left, she turned to the right, directly in the path of the approaching car. The corner of the car struck her wheel and knocked it from under her. She fell in front of the car, and the fender passed over her, and catching her clothing, dragged her along the rails a distance of fifty yards. Had her clothing given way, she would have been instantly killed.

When the car was stopped her body was lying across the rail, under the fender, and the front wheels were within a foot of her body. The car had to be backed before she could be released. She was conveyed to the Receiving Hospital in a hack. It was found there that the muscles of her left hip had been severely strained. She suffered a severe contusion in her side and hip. So painful were her injuries that she had to be placed under the influence of an opiate.

STENOGRAPHERS ORGANIZE.

About twenty-five women stenographers and typewriters met in the rooms of the Young Woman's Christian Association yesterday evening and effected an organization to be known as the Los Angeles Stenographic Association. Mrs. M. H. Huehner occupied the chair, and Miss Augusta Sperry acted as secretary. Mrs. Gertrude M. Caldwell, who has taken a great interest in the formation of an association in this city, addressed the audience. She said that the purpose of the association is to advance and protect the professional interests of the members, and to encourage and develop their ability, and to elevate the profession in general. Mrs. Caldwell said that a unity in rates should be established, and that it would be pleasant to meet together socially as well as professionally.

The stenographers present all signed the articles of association, and bylaws were adopted.

Officers will be elected at the next meeting, which will be held the second Monday in December.

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BARBERS AND BOOTBLACKS.

Many Kicking Over the Union Traces.

Uniform Price Schedule is a Failure.

Shaves and Shines to Be Had Again at the Former Figures.

The would-be tyrants of the barbers' and the bootblacks' unions are gradually learning that it is one thing to lead a horse to water and another to make him drink. The latter feat they find most difficult to accomplish, even with the aid of a State Barber Commission and an honorary barber of no less distinction than the Speaker of the State Assembly, to give the movement to establish a uniform scale of prices official recognition.

When the prices of shaves and shines were simultaneously raised several months ago, the artists in those lines flattered themselves upon the prospect of having their incomes increased 50 and 100 per cent, without having to perform any more labor than they had been doing. But it did not take them long to find out that patrons were scarcer at the higher prices. It was also observed that so long as the cost was just the same, customers had a tendency to patronize only the best establishments, which had been charging top prices right along and were consequently not affected by the raise, except that it brought much work which formerly went to the smaller shops.

Gradually it dawned upon the "little fellows" that they had been duped, and that the establishment of a uniform scale was entirely in the interest of the shops with the most luxurious appointments.

It did not take the more intelligent of the tonsorial and shine artists who were not equipped with all the latest fixings, or located in swell localities, to find out that they could not compete with the first-class establishments at the same prices. Therefore, there has been a gradual falling away from the union ranks and there are now dozens of places in town where a shave or a shine can be had at the old prices.

The rise in the barbers' scale of prices included shines, for every well-appointed barber shop employs a bootblack, or several of them, to polish the shoes of the patrons of the tonsorial establishment. Up to a few months ago the common price of a shine in Los Angeles, except on holidays, was 5 cents. The shine artists employed in the barber shops usually work by the week, and the money they take in, whether the price be 5 or 10 cents, goes to the proprietor. Now, when the barbers' union raised the price of shines, it was necessary to get bootblacks outside the barber shops to do likewise, in order to prevent the barbers from losing that part of their trade. In order to accomplish this a bootblacks' union was formed, and 5-cent shines were out of fashion for a spell—only for a short spell, however, for the bootblacks soon found out that a great many men considered a 10-cent shine a greater luxury than they could afford every day. Shoe brushes were hunted up at home, and many a man in moderate circumstances became his own bootblack for the time being, rather than pay 10 cents for a shine. Enterprising urchins, not members of the union, also, provided themselves with kits and began shining shoes on the streets at 5 cents per shine. Seeing their trade slip away from them, the regular shine artists began to resume business at the old prices, and all but the stands at the big hotels and leading barber shops will soon follow suit. The majority of them have already made the cut.

"Yas suh," said one industrious son of Ham yesterday, who plies his calling in front of a First-street saloon, "I's doin' business strickly acco'din' to fust principles agin. Weather's gittin' too col' to stan' roun' here waitin' for 10-cent customers w'en you can keep y'self warm at 5 cents er shine. Dis am no 10-cent town, I guess. Leastwise dem dudes wot pays 10 cents er shine and says 'keep de change' don't promernade Fust street."

An Italian bootblack on Main street who has a union card up and still sticks to the union price, although having very little to do, said:

"Shina da shoe 10 cenia today, 5 cenia tomorrow, maybe. No catcha da moa at 10 cenia. Union must come down; non-union fella getta da work, catcha alla da mon."

A bright colored man who conducts one of the best-appointed bootblack stands on Third street, said:

"It all depends upon the quality of the shine and the class of customers you have. I raised to 10 cents before there was any union, and I shall stick to that as long as I remain in the business, because I cater only to first-class trade, and do first-class work. I pay $50 a month rent and pay my assistants good wages, so I am obliged to charge accordingly. If a man wants a 5-cent shine let him go to a 5-cent stand. I want none of that patronage."

Among the bootblack stands that have cut the price to 5 cents are some that are run in connection with union barber shops, and the union barbers haven't struck yet.

MEN'S PRAYING BAND.

Third Anniversary Observed Last Night on Boyle Heights—Has Reached One Thousand Men.

Three years ago, during a series of gospel meetings held in Boyle Heights, Dr. George W. Campbell was impressed with the idea that the religious life then being entered into by his friends and associates could be greatly strengthened and sustained through the means of the weekly gatherings of these men at their various homes, where all formality might be laid aside, as brother with brother, they might, in accord with the favorite hymn,

"Share our mutual woes;
Our mutual burdens bear,"

and with counsel, exhortation and prayer they might grow strong in a higher religious life, and also be helpful to each other in temporal matters.

The conception of this idea was followed by its immediate execution, in an invitation extended to the men of Boyle Heights to meet at the home of Dr. Campbell, No. 119 South Boyle avenue, and inaugurate this work of practical Christianity.

This was the beginning of the Men's Praying Band, the most effective and far-reaching laymen's movement ever started in this vicinity. It was distinctly emphasized that the band was Christian, but non-sectarian; its only object being the saving of men from their sins, the making of bad men good and of good men better.

Meetings were held each Monday night, at whatever home was offered for the service, and each week of the three years of its existence the band's circle of influence for good has widened. At nearly every meeting men have come out and declared their intention of accepting the teachings of the gospel, and of henceforth leading new lives. It is estimated that over one thousand men have been reached during the three years' work. It is customary to appoint as leader of the next meeting one of the last converts made, thus impressing them at once into active Christian work.

During these three years men in all stations of life, from the cultivated, educated man of affairs to the most unfortunate drunkard of the gutter, have been reclaimed, and uplifted into an exemplification of the Christ life, through the agency of the Boyle Height Praying Band.

Last night was the third anniversary of the memorable first meeting, and the meeting was appropriately held at the home first opened for it. Of those present three years ago many were in attendance last night, and gave testimony. Not content with their work at home, members of the band have carried the firebrand of their practical religious enthusiasm to other sections of the city, and delegations from Boyle Heights have visited many churches of other sections, telling of the wonderful rescue work being done here. The result has been that similar bands are now actively working in the southwest, East Los Angeles and Angeleño Heights, in the First M. E. Church, and in Newman M. E. Church, with a prospective organization at Pico Heights. Through influence of Boyle Heights members, a similar band has been started "way down in Maine."

Several church papers throughout the Middle West and on the Pacific Coast have noted the work and strongly commended this non-sectarian laymen's movement.

Last night about one hundred men of Boyle Heights were in attendance, and delegations were present from each of the other bands of the city. Senator Simpson of Pasadena was the leader, and during the evening four conversions were reported.

KERN COUNTY.

CRAWFORD J. COX KILLED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

BAKERSFIELD, Nov. 25.—Crawford J. Cox, son of ex-Senator Fred K. Cox of Sacramento, was fatally injured at 10 o'clock this morning at the Cox & Clark ranch, about twenty miles north of Bakersfield. Cox, who was superintendent of the ranch, was working around a steam engine used for pumping water, and became entangled in the belting. One arm was broken and a leg splintered by the impact, and he sustained serious injuries about the head. Medical aid was summoned, but Cox died from a hemorrhage and the shock. His father is coming by special train from Sacramento.

HOTEL ROBBERY.

Robbers broke into the National Hotel in Kern City, carrying the cash register into the back yard, broke it open and took the contents, $50.

WASHINGTON'S EXAMPLE.

Courteous Letter from the Father of His Country to a Slave Woman, Inviting Her to Call Upon Him.

[Philadelphia Times:] To the Editor of the Philadelphia Times—Sir: Washington seems to have had as little sense of what was due public decency as either Thomas Jefferson or Mr. Roosevelt. The inclosed quotation is from a book called "Slavery and the Slave Trade," published by the American Anti-Slave Society in 1841 (London.) Certainly in spite of "Miss Phillis's" color, etc., Washington addresses her as an equal and speaks unreservedly of her visiting him.

MARY M.

Chestnut Hill, October 27.

Washington himself set an example of respect for people of color which reflects the deepest shame upon his degenerate countrymen. The following letter, addressed to Phillis Wheatley, a native African and a slave, is found in his published correspondence:

CAMBRIDGE, Feb., 1776.

Miss Phillis: Your favor of the 26th of October did not reach my hand till the middle of December. Time enough you will say to have given an answer ere this. Granted. But a variety of important occurrences continually interposing to distract the attention I hope will apologize for the delay and plead my excuse for the seeming, but not real, neglect. I thank you most sincerely for your polite notice of me in the elegant lines you inclosed, and however undeserving I may be of such encomium and panegyric, the style and manner exhibit a striking proof of your poetical talents, in honor of which and as a tribute justly to you I would have published the poem, had I not been apprehensive that while I only meant to give the world this new instance of your genius, I might have incurred the imputation of vanity. This and nothing else determined me not to give it place in the public prints.

If you should ever come to Cambridge or near headquarters I shall be happy to see a person so favored by the Muses, and to whom nature has been so liberal and beneficent in his dispensations. I am, with great respect, your obedient, humble servant,

GEORGE WASHINGTON.

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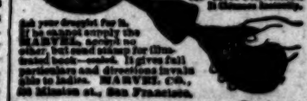

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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Hawkeyes Arrived.

Thirty-seven Iowans came down from San Francisco on the evening train yesterday.

Deputy U. S. Marshal.

The United States Marshal yesterday appointed W. F. Cook as his deputy at San Luis Obispo.

Battalion Drill.

Cos. A, C and F, National Guard of California, held a battalion drill last night at the Armory, under Maj. Wankowski. The attendance was unusually large.

Stolen Telephones Found.

Seven new transmitters intended for use as interior telephones were found yesterday in the willows in the river bed, securely packed in a box. They had evidently been stolen, and the police were notified of the find.

Lacerated Her Arm.

Katie O'Brien, an employé of the Los Angeles Lithographing Company, was taken to the Receiving Hospital yesterday, suffering from a severely-lacerated arm, accidentally caught in the cog gearing of a varnish machine.

Bankrupt Restauranteur.

Charles Mack, a Fresno restauranteur, yesterday filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court. His debts amount to $421.65, and his assets to $500, all of which is claimed as exempt from execution.

About Quicksilver.

The geological section of the Academy of Sciences will meet at the Southwest Miners' Association this evening. The subject presented will be "Quicksilver, Its Occurrences, Production and Uses." It will be treated by R. S. Beverstock.

Time for Trial Set.

George Lamar, who has now become fairly well known to the public, as the man who is in limbo for having counterfeiting paraphernalia in his possession, was arraigned yesterday in the United States District Court, plead not guilty and his trial was set for January 7.

They're Happy.

Residents along Vermont avenue are receiving a long needed blessing in the way of elevated street crossings and curbs. Formerly the flood water of the rainy season has rendered many crossings absolutely impassable. The work of the street department probably will obviate the nuisance.

Series of Dances.

Co. F, Seventh Regiment, N.G.C., will give the first of a series of dances in Armory Hall on Monday evening, December 2. Lieut. Ben Robinson is chairman of the Committee of Arrangements. The hall will be handsomely decorated for the occasion, and the Schoneman-Blanchard Orchestra will furnish the music.

Who Owns the Tools?

Sim Bisbee, an expressman, was arrested last night so drunk that he wanted to fight almost everybody who came near him. He fought the arresting officer all the way to the Police Station, and there had to be roughly handled before he could be placed in jail. In his wagon was a chest of carpenter's tools, the ownership of which the officers are now trying to ascertain.

Escaped from San Francisco.

Mayor Snyder returned yesterday afternoon from San Francisco, and found himself face to face with the gas situation. He intimated that he had escaped from San Francisco only to fly to other evils he wot not of. While in the Bay City Mayor Snyder delivered a speech before the Chinese Exclusion Convention, that has invoked Congress to reënact the Chinese exclusion law.

Bible Institute.

The Los Angeles Bible Institute will be addressed at the rooms, No. 230 South Broadway, Tuesday afternoon by Rev. W. C. Sherman of Sacramento, and Rev. Dr. A. J. Frost of this city. The topic of the latter is "Jesus Crucified Not Friday, but Wednesday." The popular Bible class, which meets regularly on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, will be omitted on Toanksgiving Day.

Salvation Campaign Closed.

Col. French, provincial commander of the Salvation Army forces on the Pacific Coast, held the last of his series of meetings in this city last night at the hall on San Pedro street. Crowds have filled the hall each night, and twenty-eight persons have presented themselves at the altar. Yesterday afternoon a council of the officers of this and surrounding towns was held, at which about thirty were present. Col. French leaves for the north today.

Imperial Course.

The third event of the Imperial course will be given in Simpson Auditorium under the auspices of the Independent Church of Christ this evening, by the orchestra of the First Congregational Church, under the leadership of William R. Mead, with Mme. Genevra Johnstone-Bishop as soloist. The programme will be an especially strong one, and special interest seems to be centered in the "Faust Cycle," rendered by Mme. Bishop and the orchestra.

Kicked in the Face.

Harry Wigton and Bert Sweeney were seen by Patrolman McGraw to knock down Fred Edgar on Main street last night, and before the officer could reach them one of them kicked the prostrate man in the face. Edgar's face was terribly bruised, and his nose almost broken. He was taken to the Police Station with his assailants. He said that the reason for the assault was his refusal to give the other men money after he had taken a drink with them in a saloon near where he was attacked.

City Assessor Returns.

City Assessor Ben E. Ward returned to his desk yesterday morning after four weeks spent in touring the East. Mrs. Ward accompanied her husband as far as Kansas City, where she visited some of her relatives. Assessor Ward went as far as his old home in New Haven, Ct., where he inspected the house in which he was born in 1856. The house was built in 1765. Returning westward Mr. Ward visited relatives in Washington, D. C., and made short stops at the principal cities along the route.

Candidate for Whittier.

Charles Hansen, aged 17 years, was arrested yesterday on a warrant issued by the Superior Court. Complaint has been made that he is incorrigible and proceedings have been begun to have him sent to Whittier. His home is at No. 854 North Figueroa street. When asked at the Police Station why he did not go home, he replied that he was afraid to do so, because his father had threatened to beat him if he appeared there. He declared that he had done nothing wrong, and only wanted a chance to work for his living.

Judge Silent's Sale.

Judge Charles Silent has sold, for $6,500, to George H. Fruhling, a five-acre tract of land bounded on the north by Adams street, on the south by Twenty-seventh, on the east by a block of lots adjoining Vermont avenue, and on the west by Juliet street. The property will be cut up into town lots and placed upon the market. It is to be known as Romeo Place tract, and the streets passing through it are to be graded, graveled, curbed and sidewalked, and beautified with shade trees at the expense of the present owner. A building restriction will be placed in each deed, and the dwellings will all be twenty-five feet from the street line. The sale was made through the agencies of Drew & Lapworth, and Edward D. Silent & Co.

Los Angeles-Pacific Boulevard.

The first meeting of the stockholders of the Los Angeles-Pacific Boulevard and Development Company was held yesterday for organization at the office of R. H. F. Variel, Esq., Tajo building, and 887 of the 1142 shares subscribed were represented. Following was held a directors' meeting, and these officers were elected: President and manager, H. J. Whitley; first vice-president, M. H. Sherman; second vice-president, F. H. Rindge; treasurer and attorney, R. H. F. Variel; secretary, Clement S. Glass; assistant secretary, Thomas F. Keefe; Executive Committee, M. H. Sherman, G. J. Griffith, R. H. F. Variel, E. P. Clark and Robert Hale. Considerable business was transacted, and the new development corporation was formally launched on its active business career.

BREVITIES.

Send donations of cast-off clothing, furniture or food supplies to the Good Samaritan department of the Bethlehem Institutional Church, Vignes and Ducommun street, or telephone John 38, and wagon will call. Office hours during summer months 11 to 12 daily.

Grand concert Thanksgiving evening at First M. E. Church, corner Sixth and Hill. Last rehearsal Monday evening. All singers come and help; will sing "The Heavens are Telling" and "Hallelujah Chorus."

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There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Napoleon A. Catte, J. D. Myers, Wood (cable.) W. A. Gray, Esq., Mrs. M. E. Downs, Harold F. Clark and Mr. McIntosh.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

Percy Whiting, aged 24, a native of Massachusetts, and Ottie Van Derhoof, aged 21, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Mitchell H. Pettit, aged 26, a native of Kansas and a resident of La Cañada, and Marie A. Urquides, aged 18, a native of California and a resident of La Crescenta.

Solon Edwards, aged 45, a native of California and a resident of Fullerton, and Jennie Randolph, aged 37, a native of Texas and a resident of Los Angeles.

Orson Penrod, aged 18, a native of Indiana, and Mattie E. Cooley, aged 17, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Joseph S. Simpson, aged 23, a native of California, and Grace M. Lattin, aged 23, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Max Moriock, aged 23, a native of Germany, and Emma Bayha, aged 20, a native of Germany; both residents of Los Angeles.

MARRIAGE RECORD.

STEELE-OXANNE — November 25, James T. Steele to Mary Oxanne of Long Beach.

BIRTH RECORD.

AUCKER—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Aucker, No. 256 South Hope street, November 25, 1901, a son.

DEATH RECORD.

MOSSMAN — In this city, November 24, of diptheria, at the residence of John A. Kingsley, No. 426 Solano avenue, John Kingsley Mossman, aged 3 years and 9 months, son of E. E. Mossman of Honolulu. Funeral private.

PRATT—At El Paso, Tex., Saturday, November 23, Alvin Pratt, a native of Massachusetts, aged 59 years 1 month 28 days. Funeral Tuesday, November 26, in the chapel at Evergreen Cemetery at 3 o'clock. Friends invited.

THE officers and members of Hollenbeck Lodge, No. 278, F. & A. M., will meet at the lodge room Tuesday, November 26, at 1 o'clock p.m. sharp, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, W. O. Burr. By order of the W. M.

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